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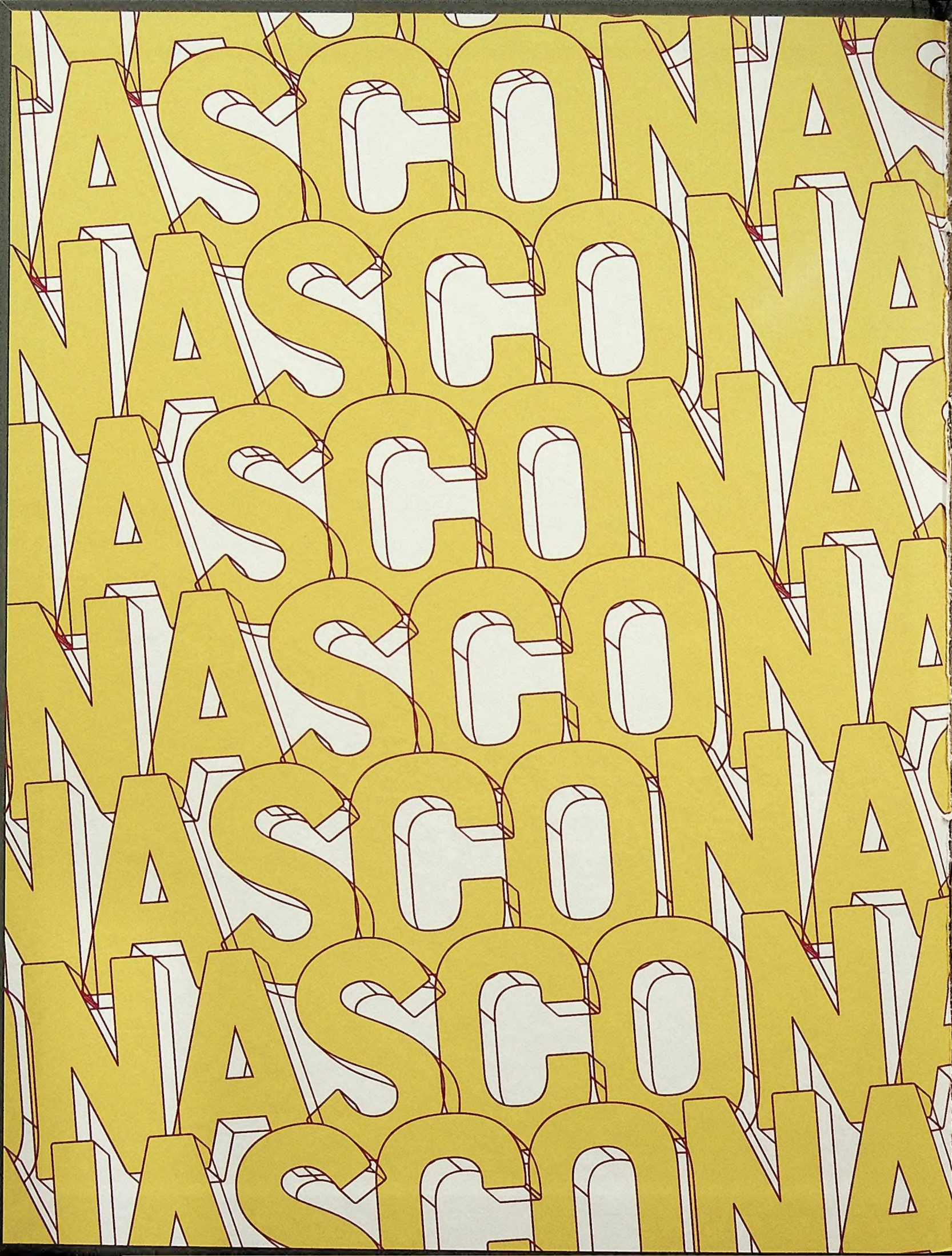
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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

This has been a year like no other in the history of Strathcona High School. I would never have dreamt that after a smooth first semester the second would be turned upside down so unexpectedly. We lived the year in two parts: pre-Covid and post-Covid. Pre-Covid was full of energy and activity; post-Covid brought isolation and a dependency on virtual connection. Yet through it all, Scona has had a year in which students flourished in spite of having to cope with our new reality. Students and teachers rose to the challenge, and I commend you all for your flexibility and perseverance in continuing your pursuit of learning.

In academics you met the Covid challenge head on by writing an incredible number of AP exams online (800) and by completing difficult courses outside of a classroom. Many of you faced a variety of challenges

this past year, struggling to adapt to online learning, missing your friends, finding school work hard and exhausting, experiencing personal difficulties or illness. Through it all, you were resilient as evidenced by your high rate of course completion.

Passion and hard work characterized activities in the Fine Arts as evidenced by the work of the improv team, and by all the hours put into planning for the musical and dance showcase that unfortunately had to be cancelled.

In athletics, I saw participation at a very high level, with many of you scoring personal bests, allowing Scona to continue the tradition of winning the cross country championship. We were going for our 50th win in track until Covid intervened. In swimming, we dominated the pool. And what about our senior boys volleyball team who won their first championship in 25 years? They were joined on the podium

by the senior girls. All in all, there were many inspirational individual performances as well as incredible teamwork.

You were in the process of pushing the boundaries for the biggest bikeathon ever, One Step Forward. I had one of the toughest days of my principaling career when I had to cancel this highly anticipated event, along with the dance showcase, the musical, the spring band concert and spring sports. I know how disappointed you were with the cancellations. Thank you for accepting them with understanding. Kudos to you for raising \$493,000 for charity in spite of the bikeathon not taking place.

Covid has changed and is changing our lives. We will have to remain flexible as our world reconfigures as a result of the pandemic. But as I reflect on how Scona students and staff have tackled the challenges that Covid has placed before us thus far, I am confident that you will continue to adapt and thrive. And though we have been unable to meet in person, our Scona community remains strong.

Finally, I would like to thank our grade 12 class as they graduate and move on to the next phase of their lives. You have contributed vitality, talent, and leadership to our community, and we appreciate all that you have given to our school. Farewell, and may your gifts be well used as you step out and find new ways to serve.









WELCOME WEEK







Annie Barraclough



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Camilo Cortes

CROSS COUNTRY



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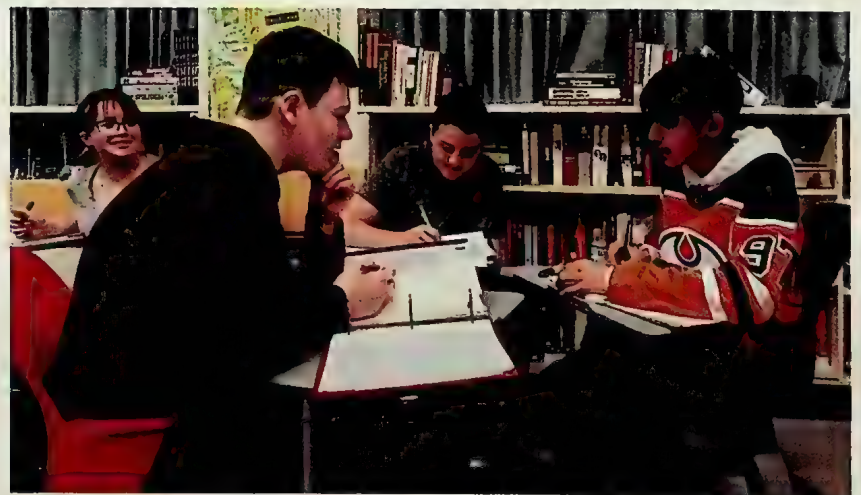
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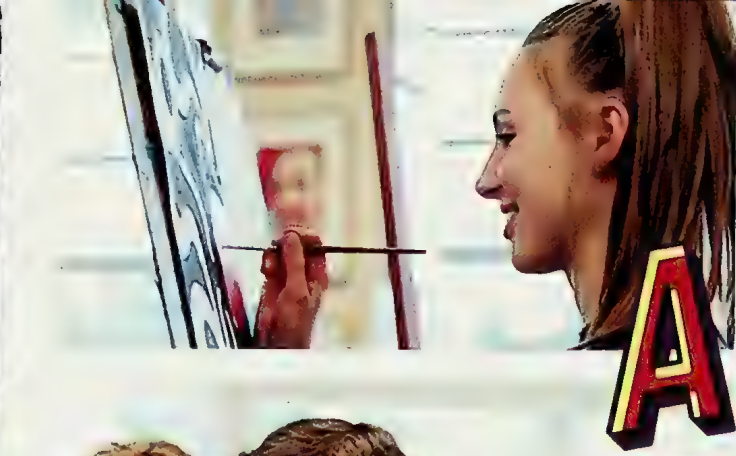




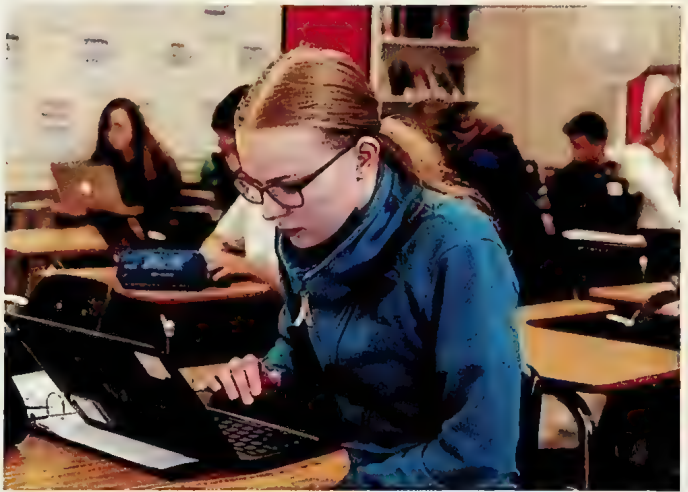


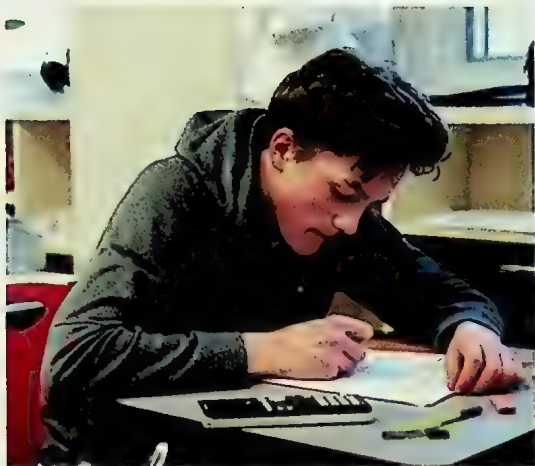






NORMAL DAY





NORMAL TIMES

It's almost strange to think back to a time before the coronavirus pandemic became a reality at Scona. A time when walking through the tightly packed corridors on your way to class, crowding around a table in the lunchroom, or sitting in bleachers bursting with students were unquestionable, routine activities. A time when a person wearing a surgical mask, religiously applying hand sanitizer, or keeping a constant six-foot distance between others would have looked out of place.

It would almost seem unnatural now to experience an ordinary day of school, during what we would now regard as "normal times". To simply arrive at school in the morning and pass through the Michener

entrance, unconsciously avoiding treading on the crest, as you make your way to your locker. Then shouldering past other students through the green-tiled hallways while talking to a friend en route to your first class, trying not to be too late. While things are now undeniably, and possible irrevocably, different from before COVID-19 firmly established itself in our lives, we shouldn't be too quick to write off this school year as one of disappointment and unfulfilled expectations. For the first six months of the year, before our education was relocated to the internet, the exuberant energy of students radiated through Scona's halls, as we arrived each day to chat with friends, take on new challenges, banter with teachers, and maybe even do some learning.

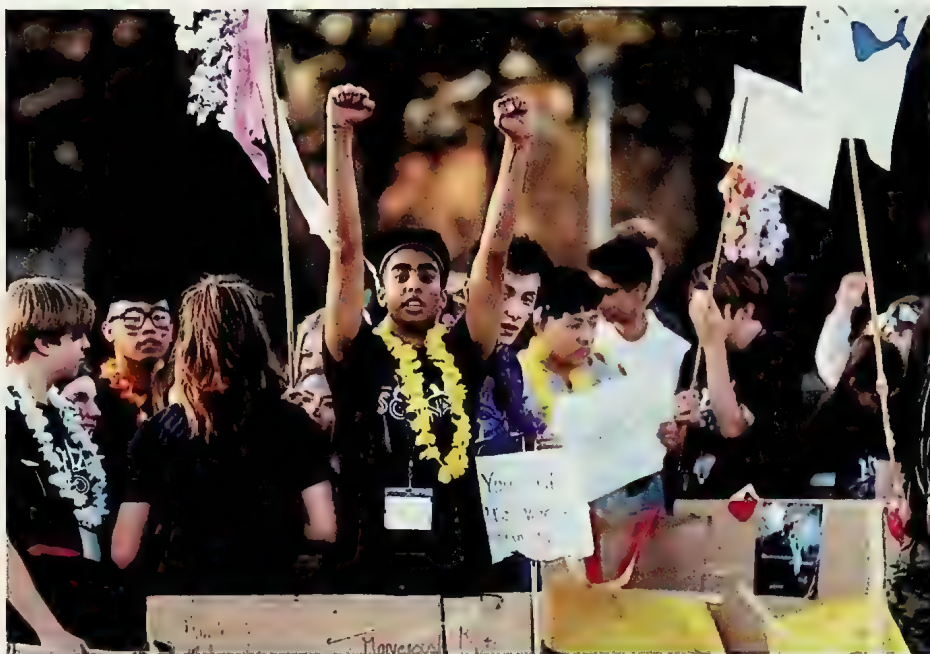
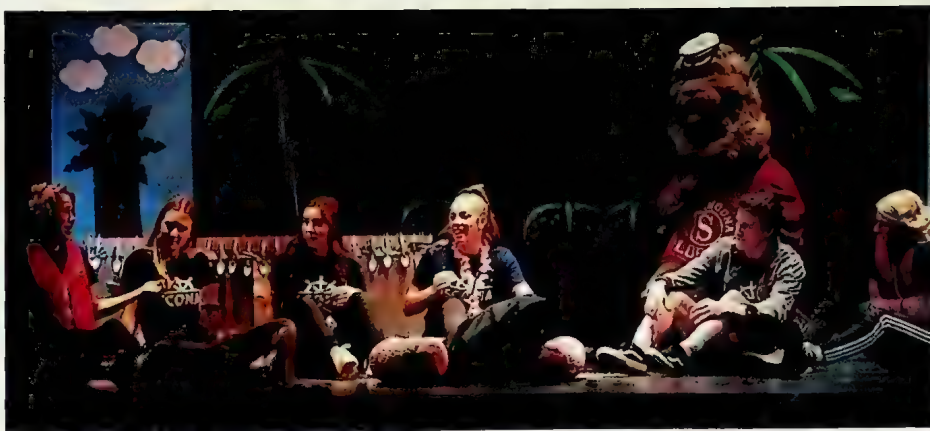
In September we returned on the first day, recharged after two months free from school and perhaps sporting an outfit carefully planned out the night before. A month later, we marched to Foote Field, red and yellow paint smeared across our cheeks, to cheer on the football team with unwavering enthusiasm. GYLO demonstrated the spirit and leadership of Scona students, and Halloween was marked by Marty McFly's third consecutive win of the costume contest. On Remembrance Day we honoured those who once walked the same halls as us and valiantly served their country. The winter band concert and the Scona's One Acts captured the

phenomenal talents of students in the arts. As the classrooms became colder in December, International Languages Week was celebrated with plenty of food for tasting, and Live Launch marked an exciting beginning of our fundraising efforts for One! International Poverty. During the week before winter break, the Heritage Classic hockey game saw the teachers face a stunning defeat at the hands of the students, following the Lords in Talent show. In January, we suffered our way through midterms, finals, and diplomas, and some raced down the snowy hills on the Panorama ski trip. From September to March, Scona athletes were highly competitive, with the swim and cross country teams continuing their city championship legacy, hugely successful volleyball, basketball, football, curling, and indoor soccer seasons, and the inaugural year of play for the women's flag football team.

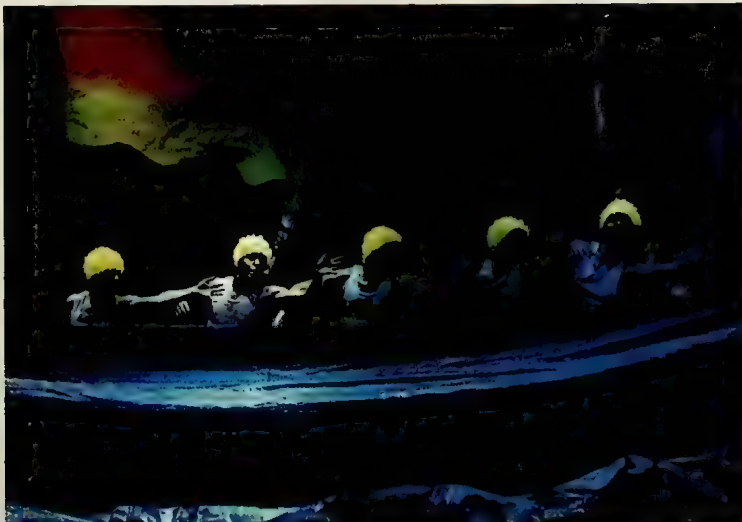
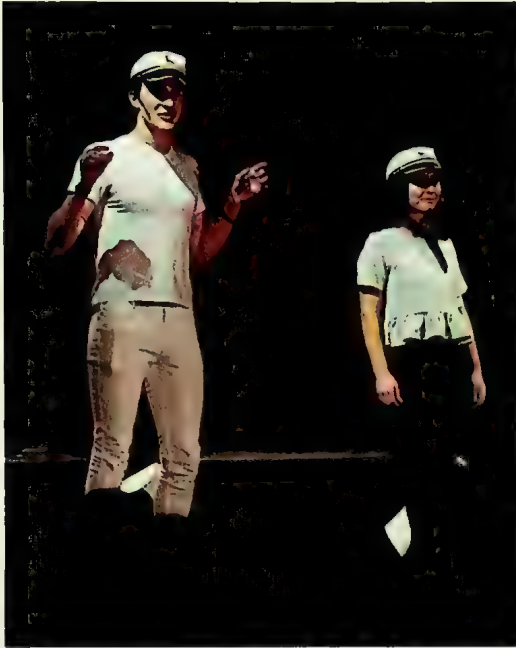
The admirable resilience and perseverance displayed by students when coronavirus abruptly disrupted the remainder of the school year, only added to the list of qualities already exemplified by Scona lords from September to March. The inevitable alteration of this school year by a force outside of our control should not change how we view the memories made during the "normal" part of the year or diminish the extent to which we celebrate the academic, athletic, artistic, and other achievements that took place.



GYLO









JUNIOR BOYS VOLLEYBALL



Back Row L to R: Christian Legg (Assistant Coach), Tate Wheatley, Carter McDonald, Cornelius Glasgow, Kyle Licis, Seth Birkholz, Jeevan Bassi, Jack Semonis, Ellis McDougald, Devon Shanks (Assistant Coach).

Front Row L to R: Alex Scott, Nathanael Beck, Jon Grelowski, Ryan Holt, Zach Shultz, Jacob Velasquez, Brett Johnson, Matt Lischynski (Head Coach).



JUNIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL





Back Row L to R: Kelsey Tymkow, Caris Bonkowski, Ryann Stasiak, Haley Lafrance, Gracie Anderson, Zoe Arnett, Abigail Birkholz, Ellie Masters, Alexa Wingnean, Riley McCaig **Front Row L to R:** Elise Pitman, Riley Thomas, Ava Jessey, Sophia Muller, Jenaya Francis, Makayla Tonn, Bronwyn Ettinger, Sela Scott, Dominique Kachkan, Grachella Garcia

SENIOR GIRLS VOLLEYBALL



Back Row L to R: Wade Rolph (Head Coach), Tori Clement, Faith Christensen, Heather Del Pero, Luna Boccatto, Rachel Schultz, Laila Johnston, Leah Walters, Andi Krawec, Krystina Wanat (Assistant Coach), Keith Wills (Assistant Coach) **Front Row L to R:** Danica Ebel, Allie Ruptash, Kira Johnston, Ella St. Martin, Cassidy Whiteman-Kyte, Kinna Fisher, Izzy Smith, Jacky Snider



VOLLEYBALL SENIOR BOYS



Back Row L to R: Sam Rains, Lukas Gundermann, Jacob Ritz, Mason Natras, Xander Nichols, Pearce Toal, Allen Solomon, Hunter Ashburn. **Front Row L to R:** Mr. Buffi (Coach), Seth Rempel, Ross Mosher, Bryn McDougald, Daylan Anderson, Andrey Alkin, Ishaq Lee Son, Logan Ladoon, Matt Sutherland, Mr. Robertson (Coach)

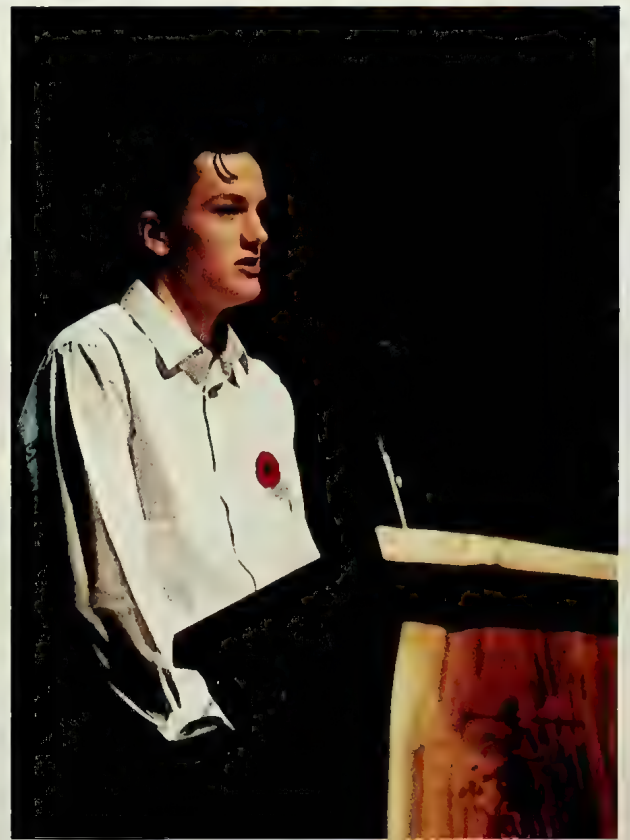




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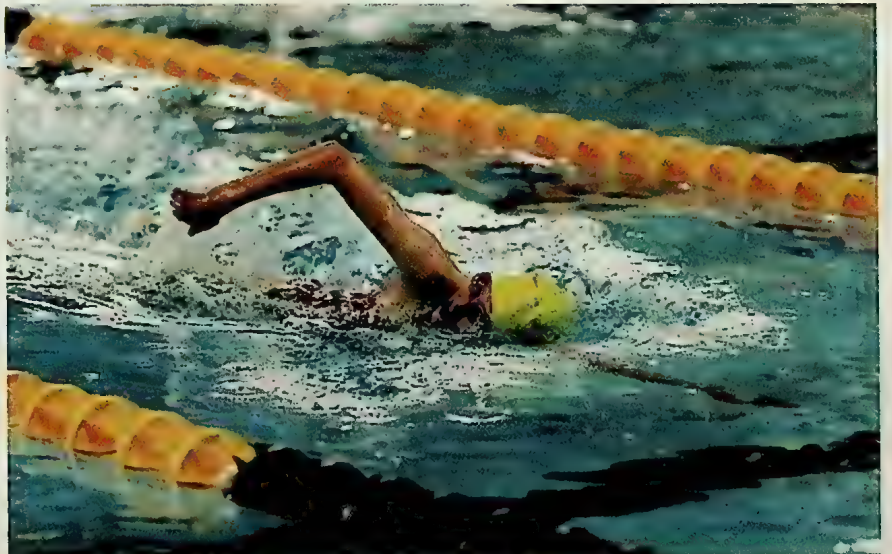
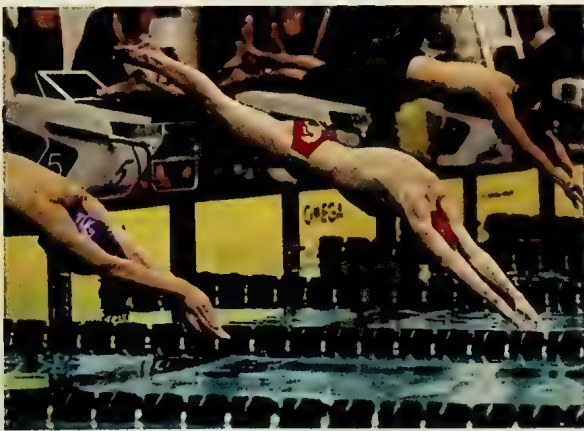


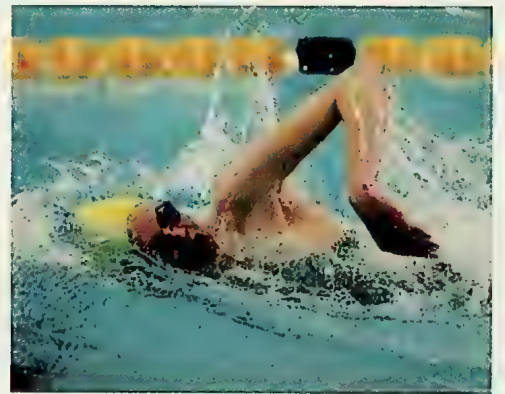
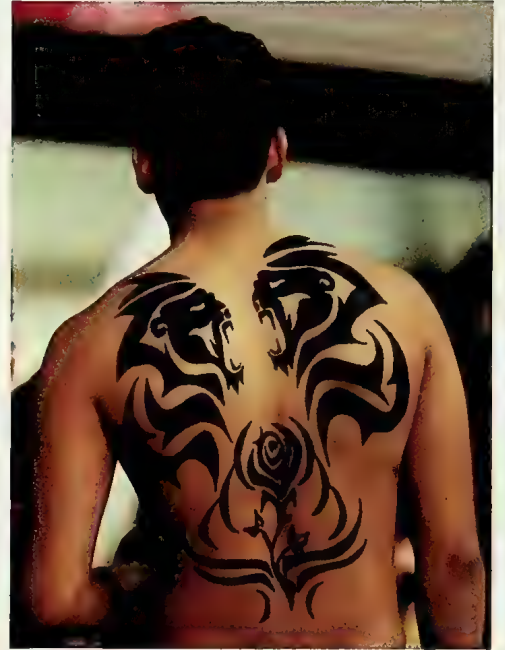
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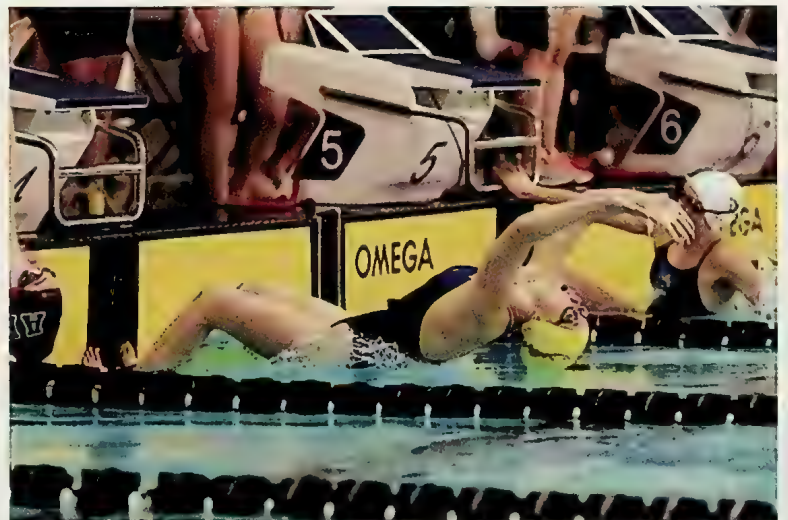


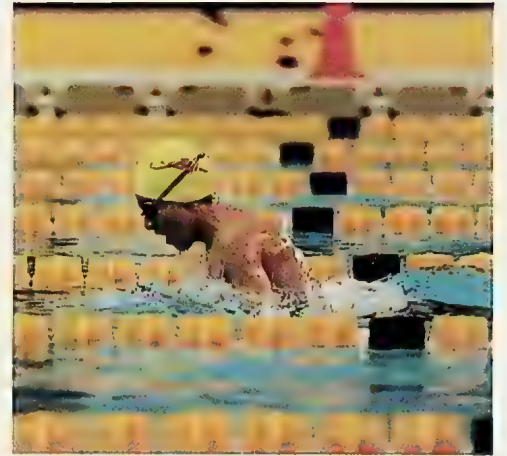
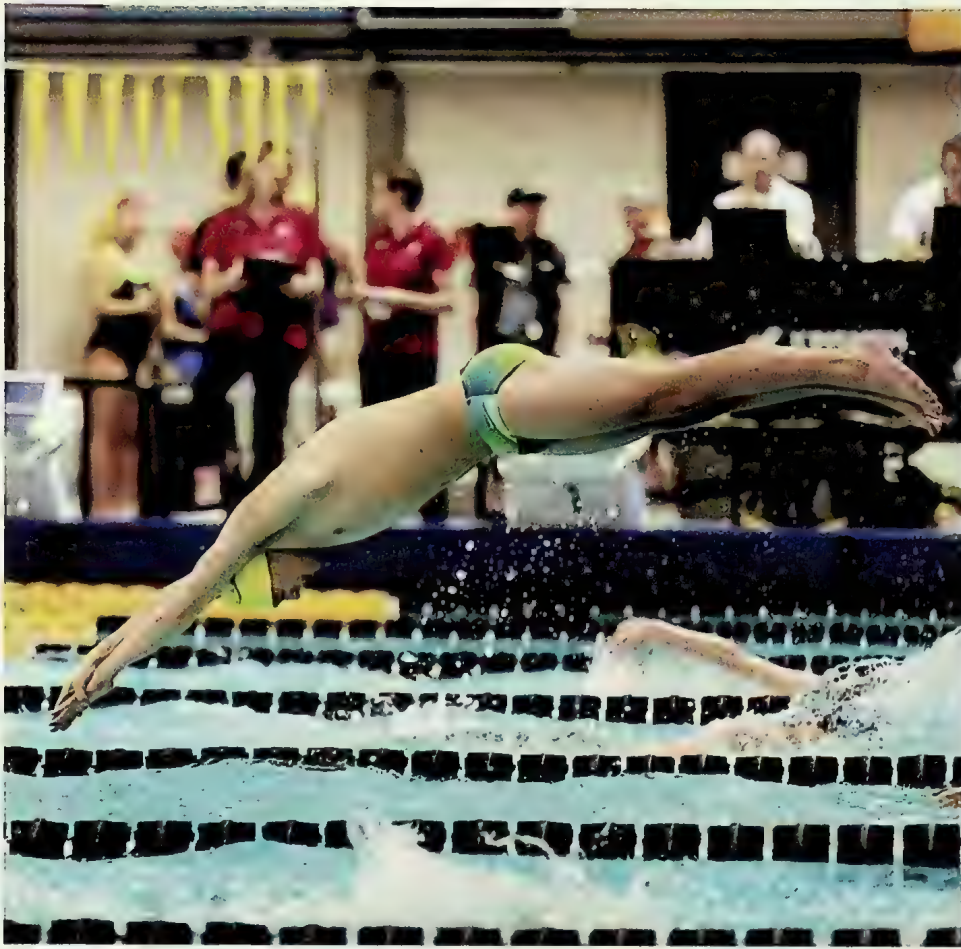


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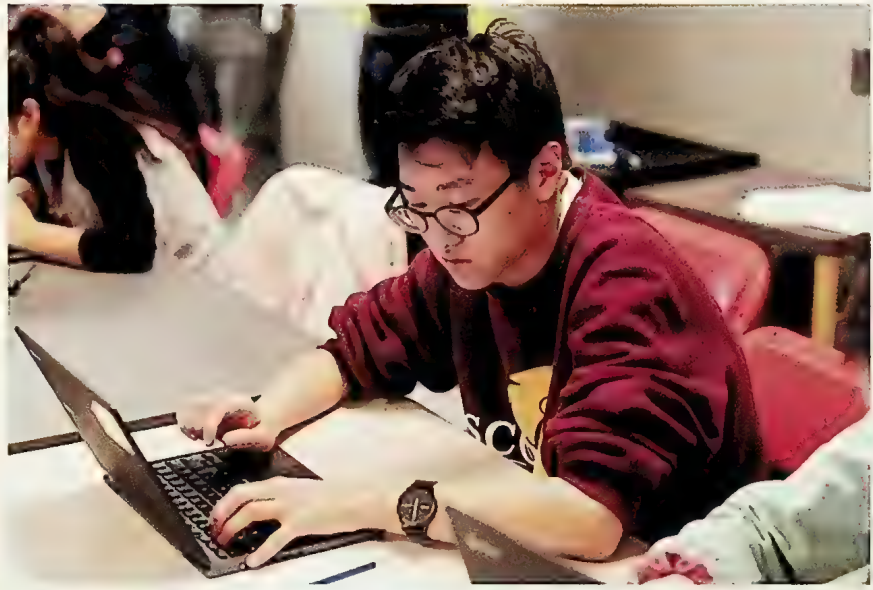


INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES WEEK



LIVE LAUNCH





WINTER BAND CONCERT



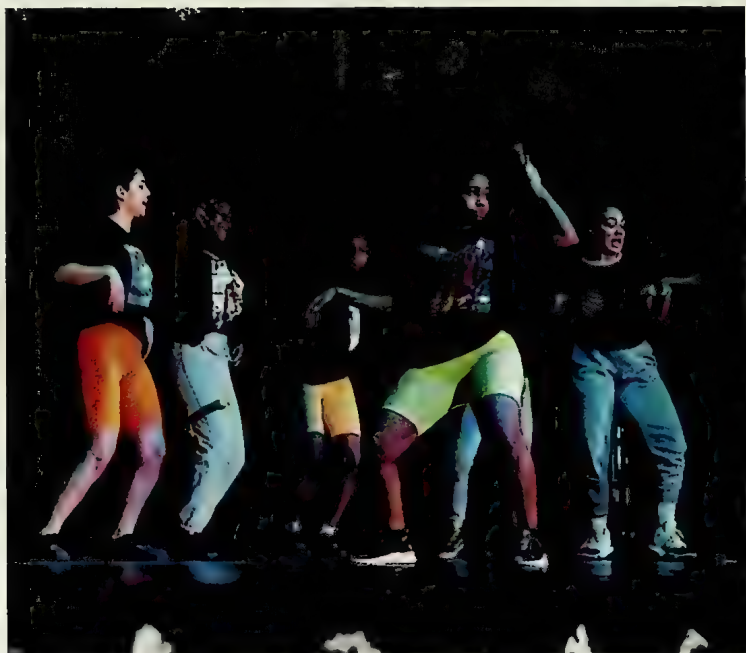


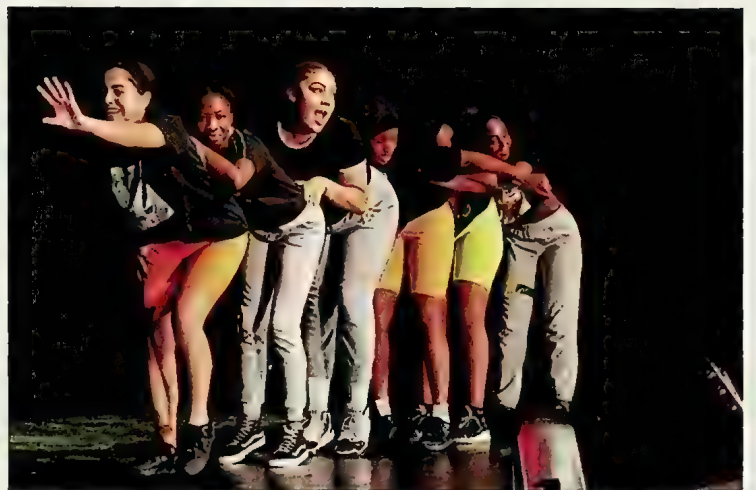
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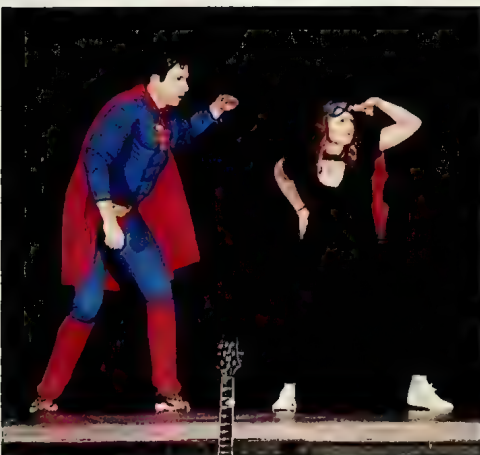




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INDOOR SOCCER



Back Row L to R: Coach Hempel, Calen Hankens, Teaghan Haysom, Danielle Appelt, Ella Keeble, Santi Acosta, Tim Seemann, Kaleb Melnyk, Chris Meyer, Saadat Hammady, Cormac Thomas, Manas Sharma, Arjun Rajput, Coach Lockhart **Front Row L to R:** Verity Fex, Tara Simonot, Nourseen Aboelnazar, Alexanne Hall, Juan Valenzuela, Nicholas Mellon

JUNIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL





Back Row L to R: Tatiana Rivasplata, Katie Klein, Kiera McCracken, Julia Wiart, Mandie van Wyk, Sasha Cox, Chelsea Nadeau, Rowan Zorniak **Front Row L to R:** Paige Macpherson, Tara Simonot, Caleigh Keehn, Rayanna Waine, Emily Buerger, Jaizelle Soberano

BASKETBALL JUNIOR BOYS



Back Row L to R: Nathaniel Koneitz, Eli Walmsley, Liam Murray, Kento Midgely, Elijah Westgate, Dezmond Coyes
Front Row L to R: Matin Iravani, Pablo Martinez-Luna, Isaac Walters, Ethan Hamel, Matthew Villarama





SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL



Back Row L to R: Piper Dobbelsteyn, Lauren Tetteh-Wayoe, Zoe Arnett, Dominique Cox, Erin Howes, Emma Klein, Toni Gordon **Front Row L to R:** Ava Paniak, Maia Hatch, Caye Manigo **Missing:** Sadie Nysetvold, Kyle Palmer (coach), Christine Debiegne (coach), Makenna Ledgister (coach), Alicia Fyvie (manager)

SENIOR BOYS BASKETBALL



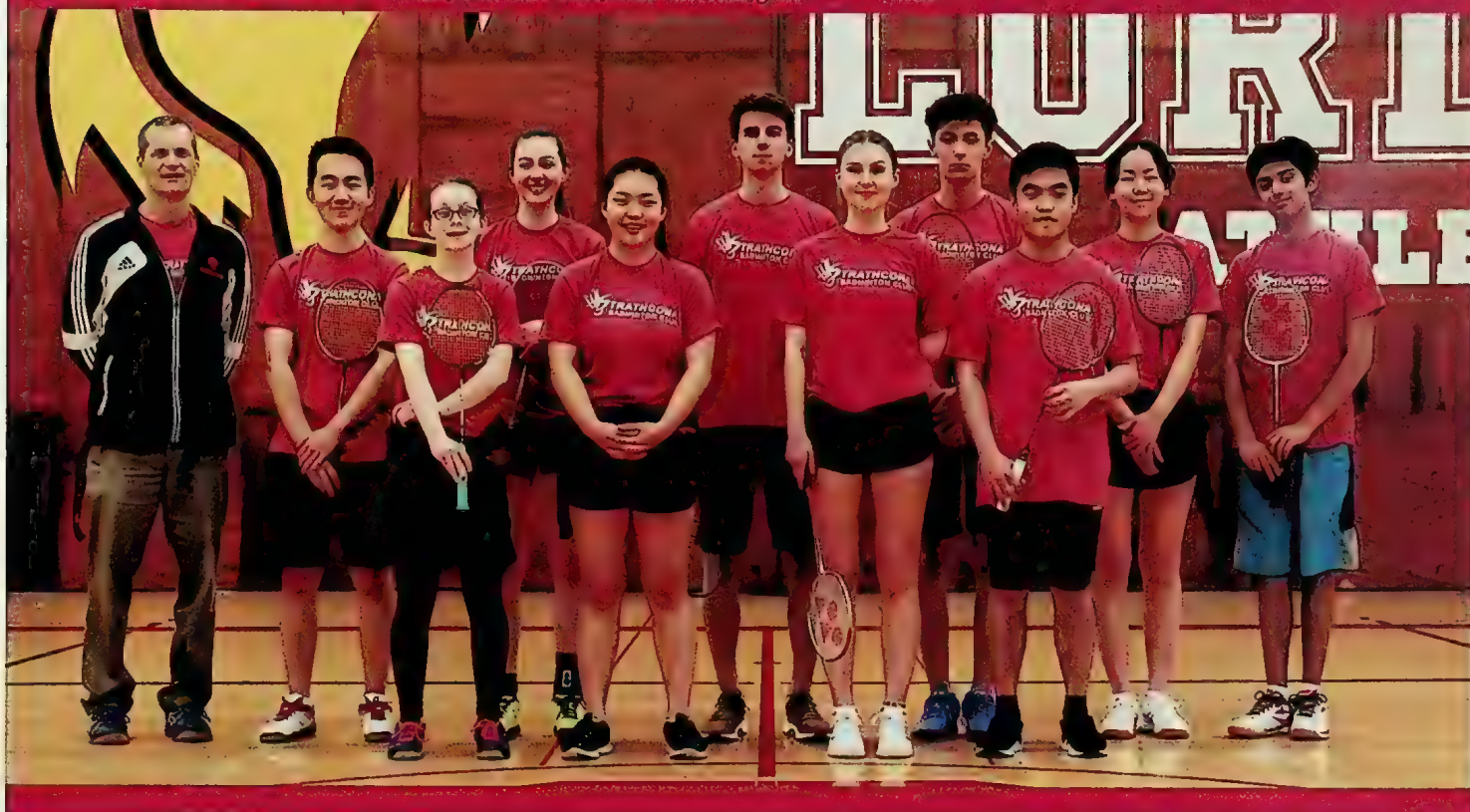
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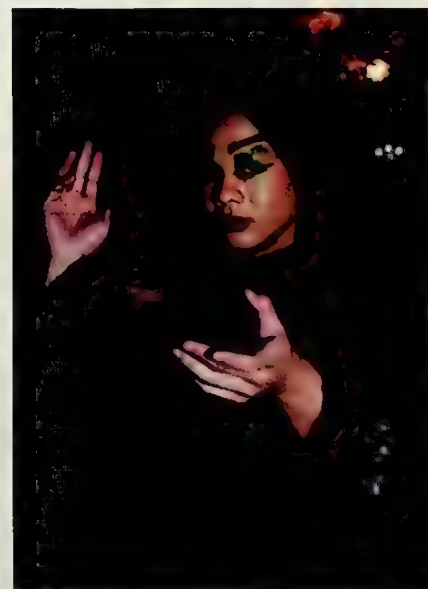


Back Row L to R: Tony Jiao, Rachel Schultz, Aaron Romney, Ethan Loyer, Katherine Zhao, Vinesh Rao
Front Row L to R: Isabel Cameron, Kamen Tan, Ella Keeble, Joshua Gomez



Back Row L to R: Leyton Grabas, Skylar Johnson, Kyle Turnbull, Kayden Melnyk, Alex de Groot, Carson Barnstable, Ross Williams, Oliver Moore **Front Row L to R:** Mackenzie Deagnon, Jamie Moore, Rachel Jacques, Jacobb Iwaskow, Noah Phillips, Kate Roy, Samantha Rondeau, Mr. Couprie (coach) **Missing:** Mr. Chodan

HEAD OVER HEELS







Rana
Abdul-Sater



Michael
Andoh



Gareth
Bondar



Tina
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Shannon
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Chris
Buffi



Paul
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Mark
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Tim
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Phillip
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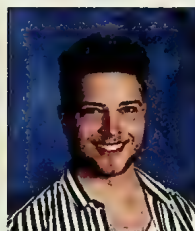
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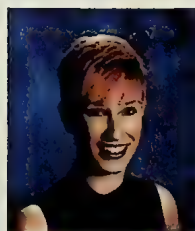
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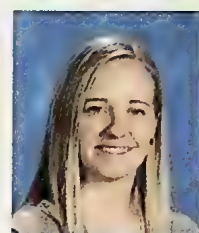
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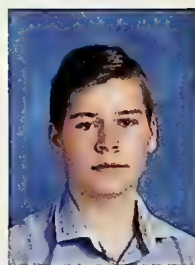
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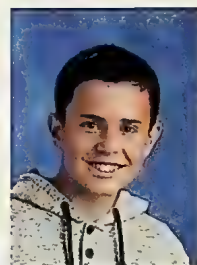
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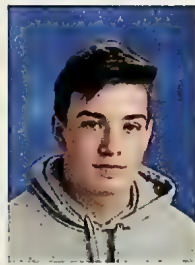
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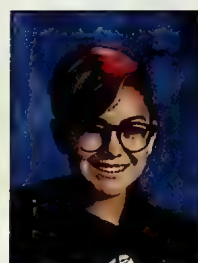
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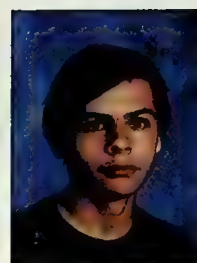
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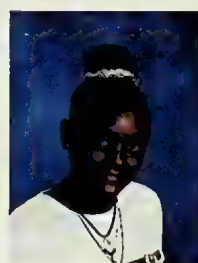
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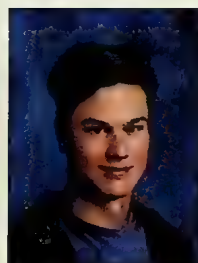
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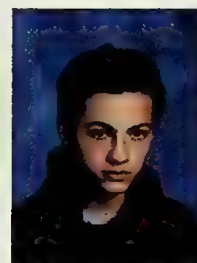
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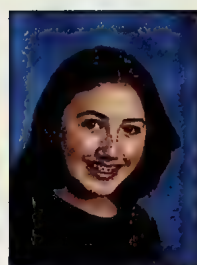
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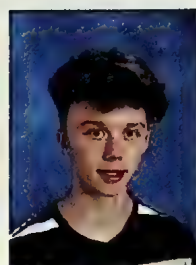
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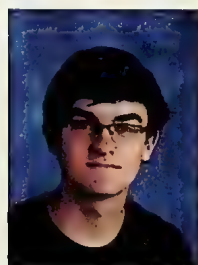
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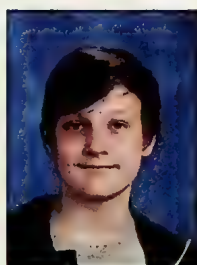
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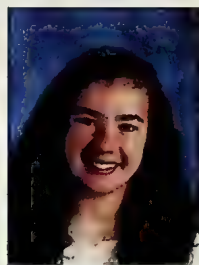
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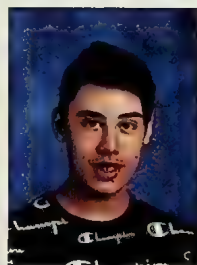
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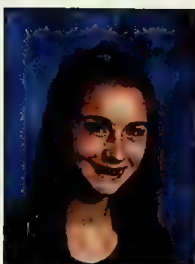
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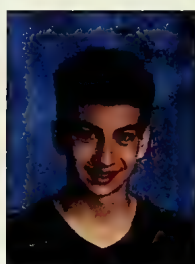
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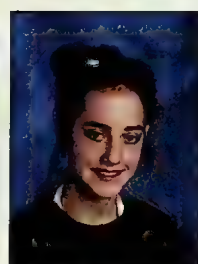
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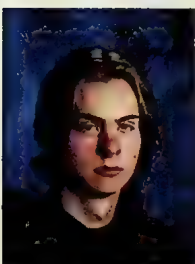
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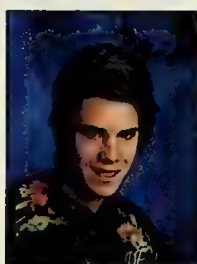
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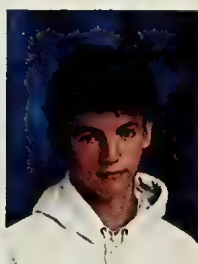
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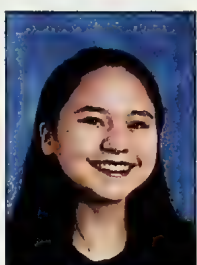
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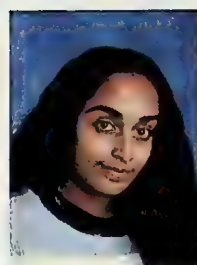
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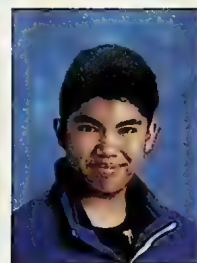
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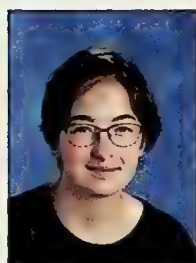
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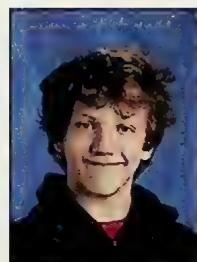
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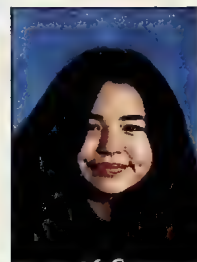
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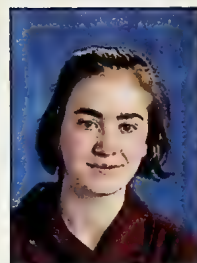
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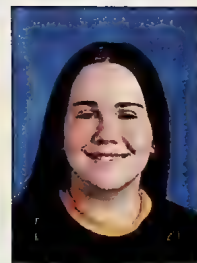
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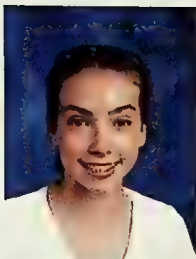
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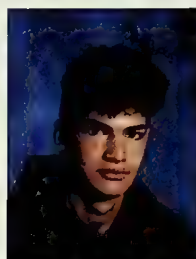
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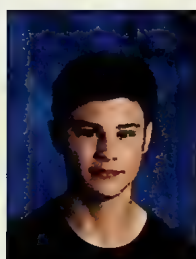
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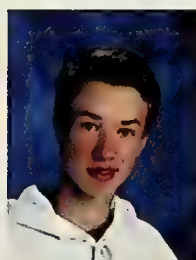
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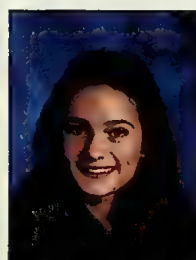
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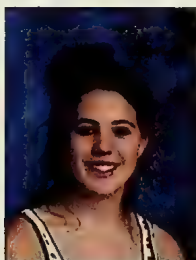
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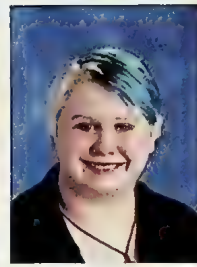
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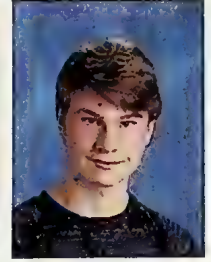
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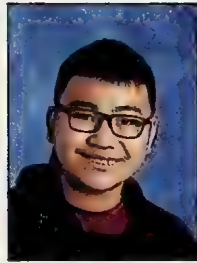
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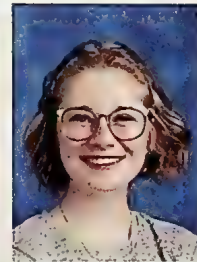
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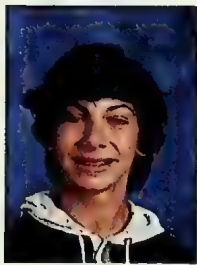
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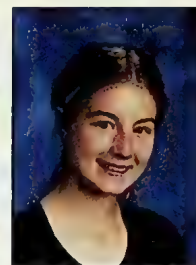
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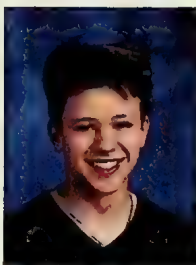
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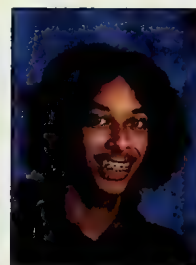
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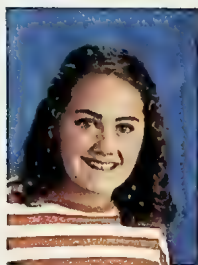
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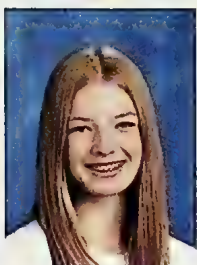
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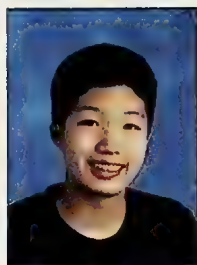
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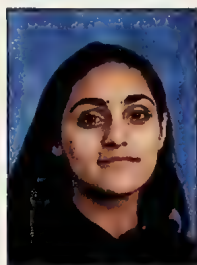
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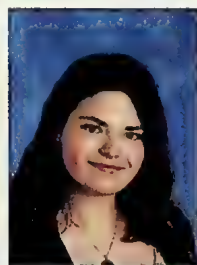
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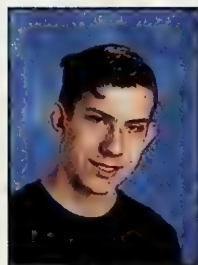
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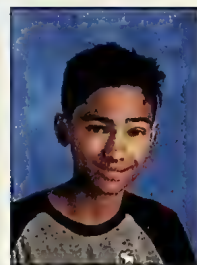
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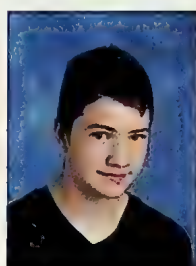
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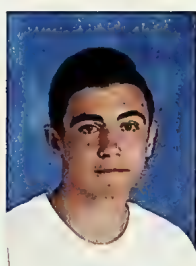
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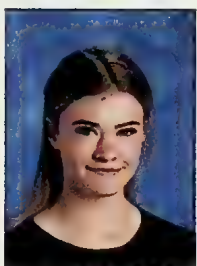
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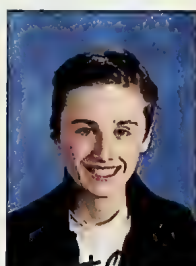
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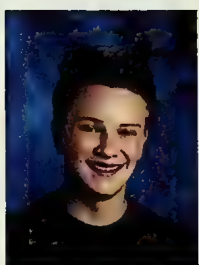
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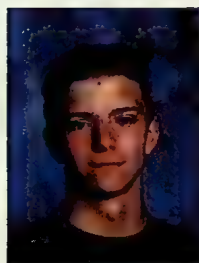
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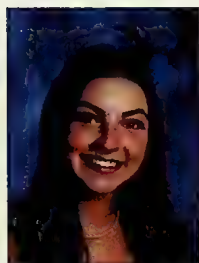
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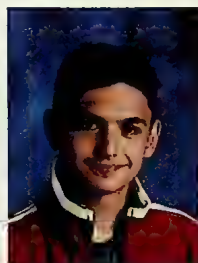
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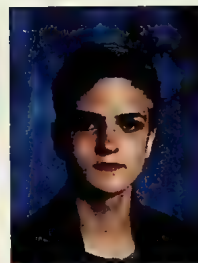
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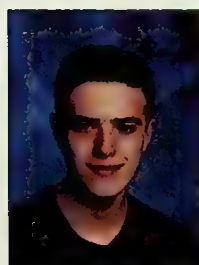
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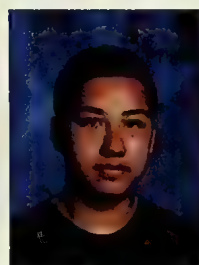
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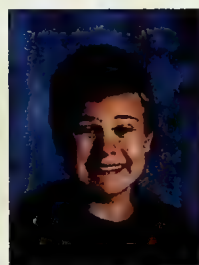
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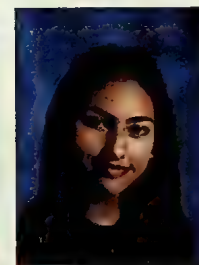
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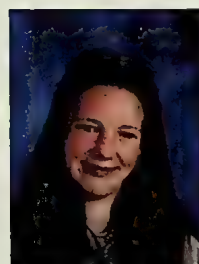
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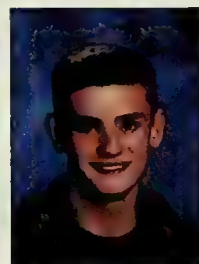
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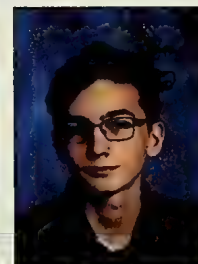
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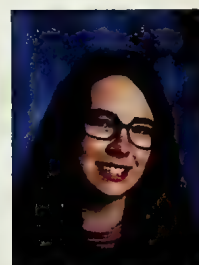
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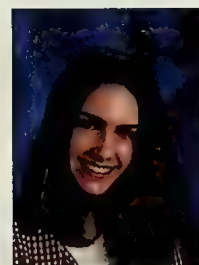
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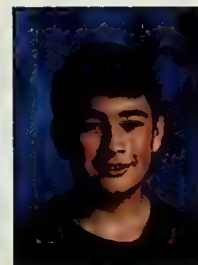
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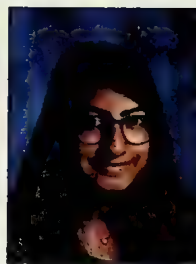
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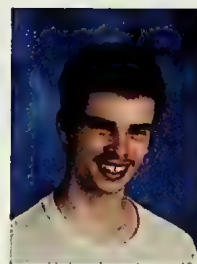
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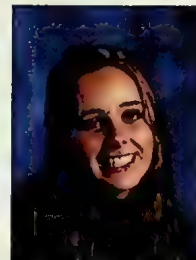
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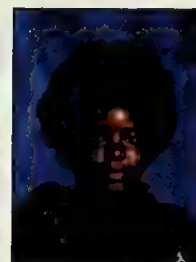
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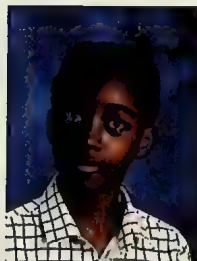
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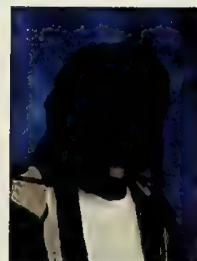
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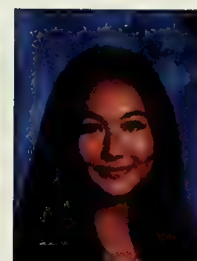
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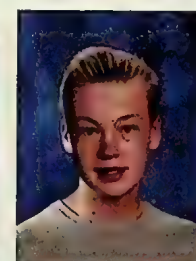
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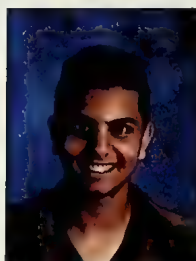
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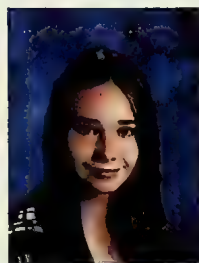
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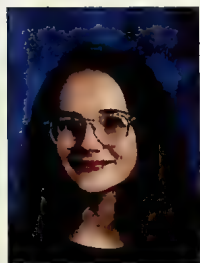
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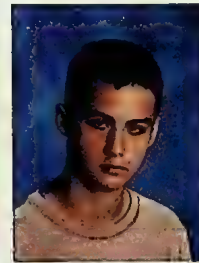
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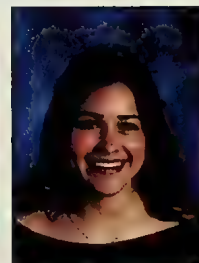
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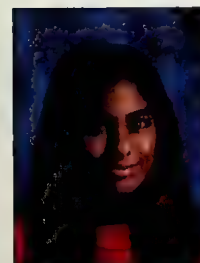
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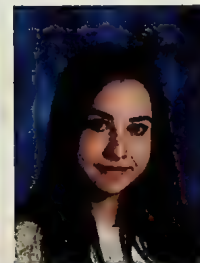
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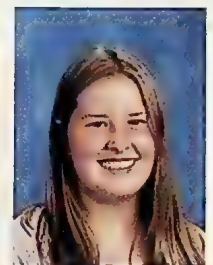
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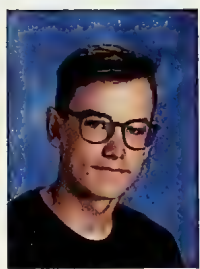
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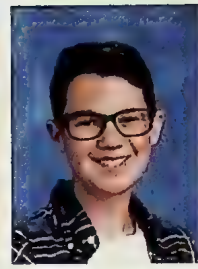
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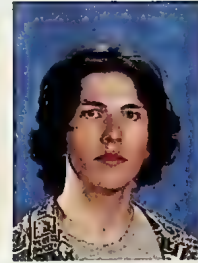
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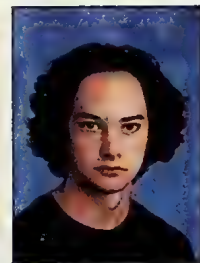
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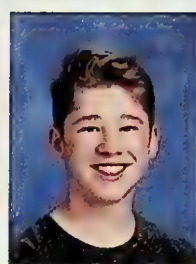
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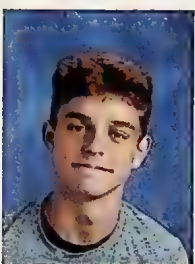
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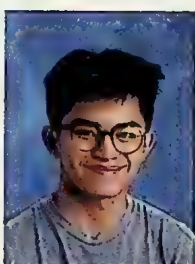
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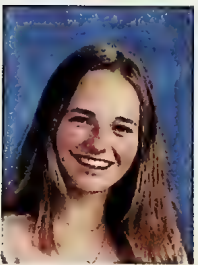
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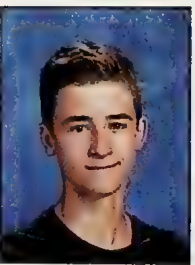
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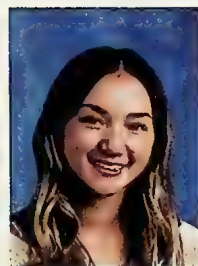
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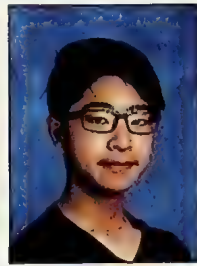
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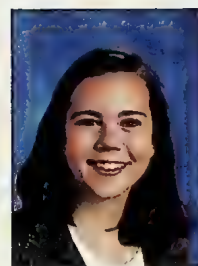
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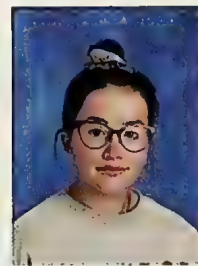
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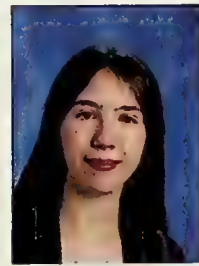
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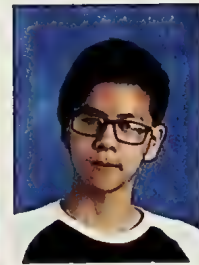
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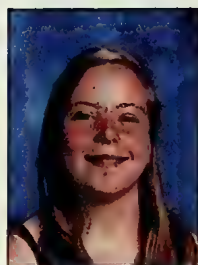
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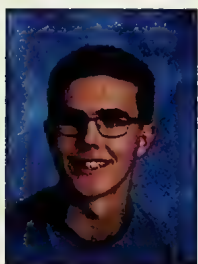
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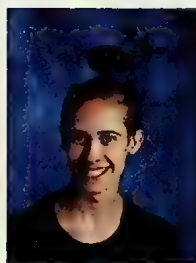
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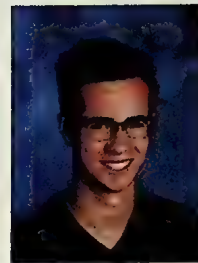
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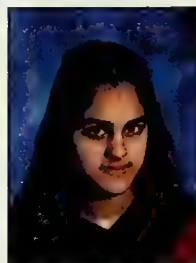
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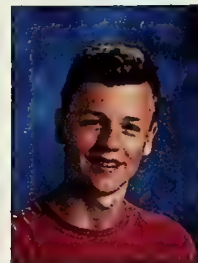
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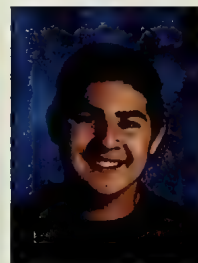
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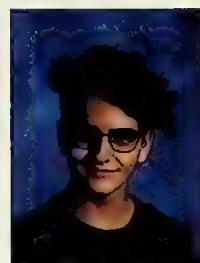
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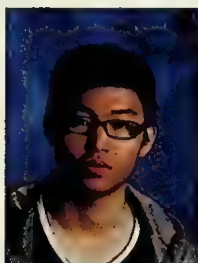
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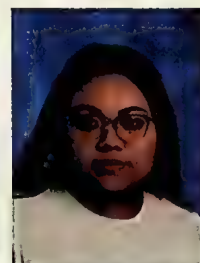
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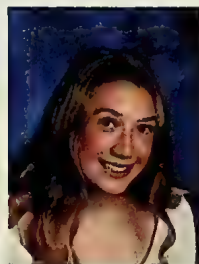
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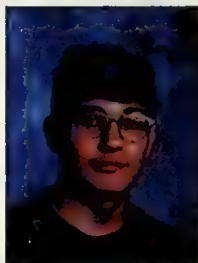
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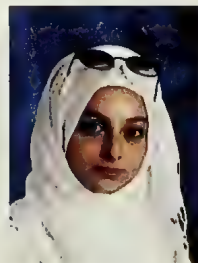
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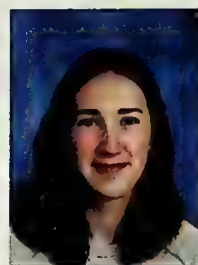
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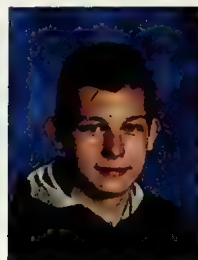
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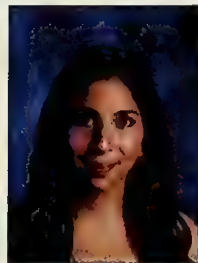
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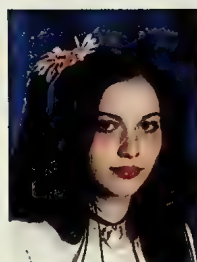
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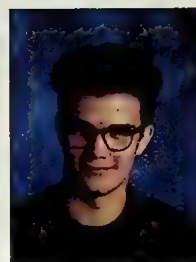
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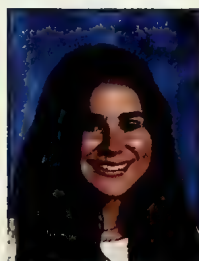
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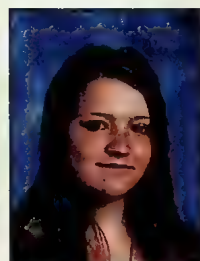
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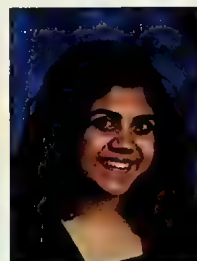
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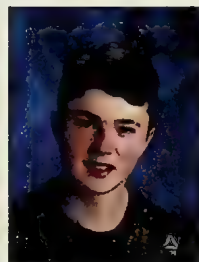
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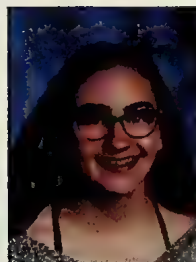
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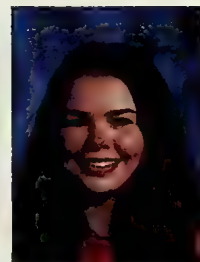
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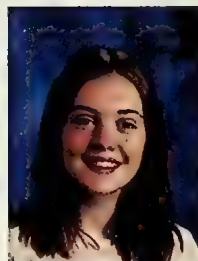
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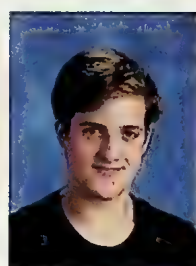
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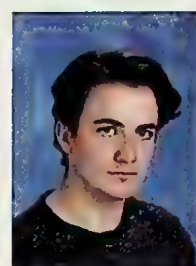
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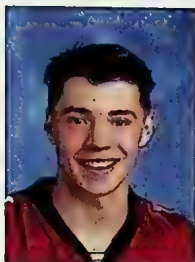
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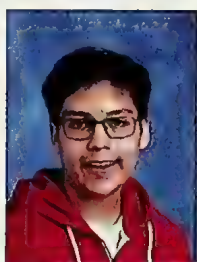
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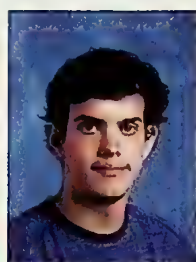
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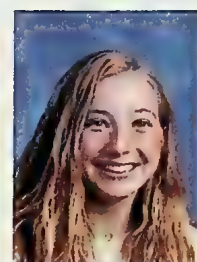
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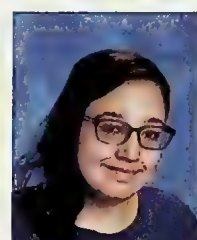
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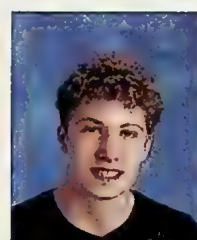
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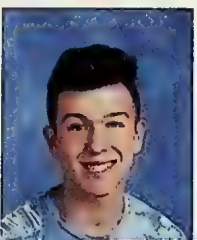
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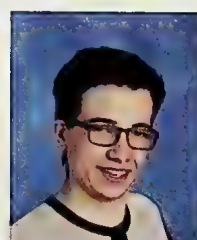
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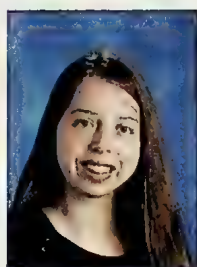
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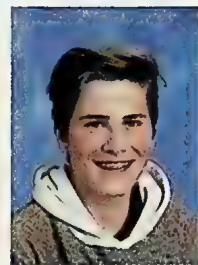
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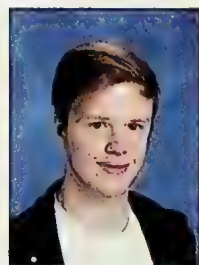
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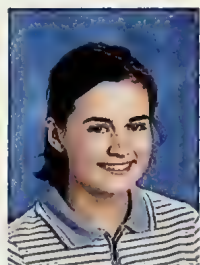
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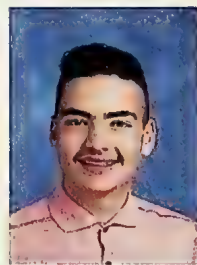
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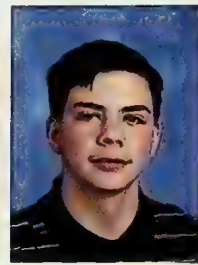
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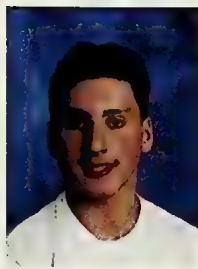
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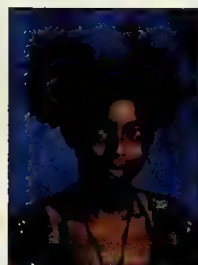
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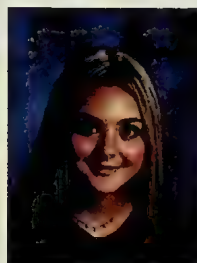
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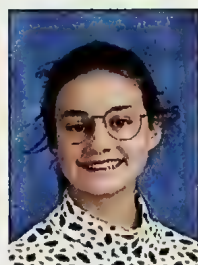
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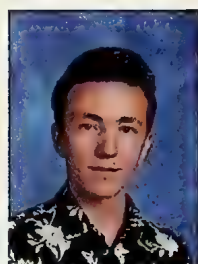
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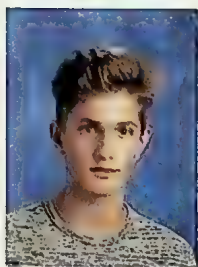
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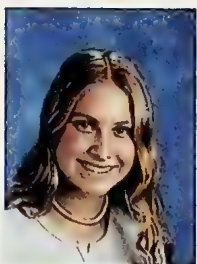
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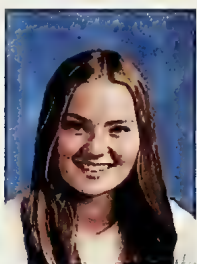
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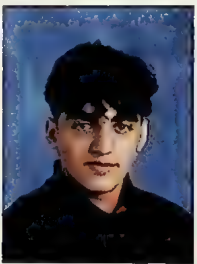
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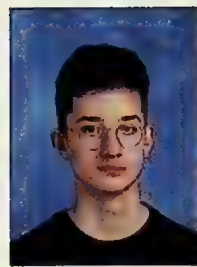
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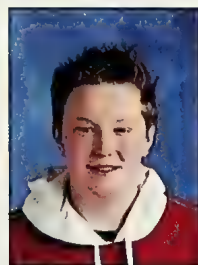
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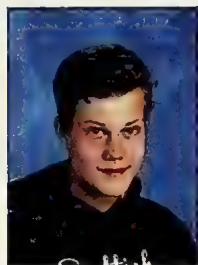
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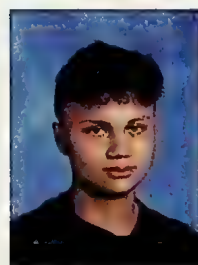
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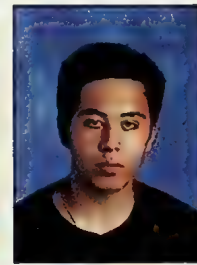
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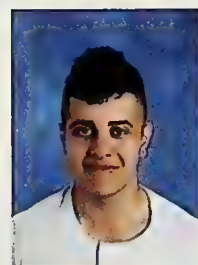
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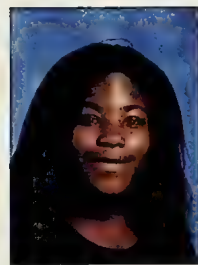
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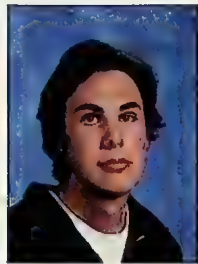
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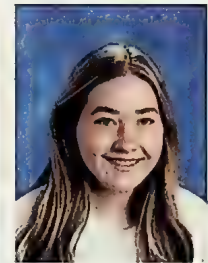
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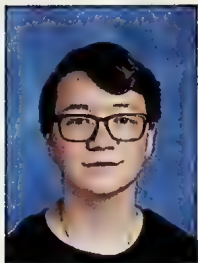
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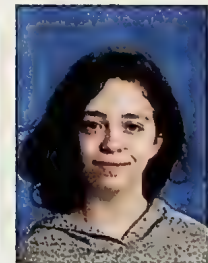
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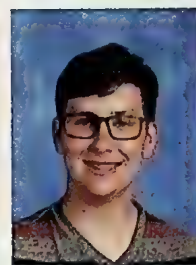
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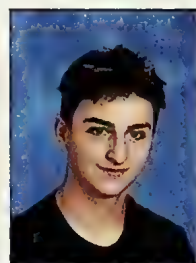
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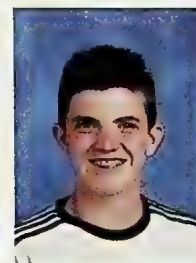
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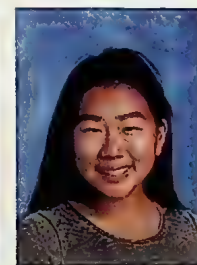
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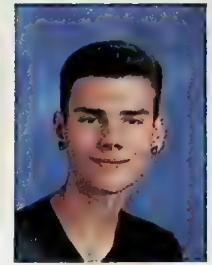
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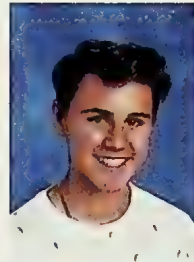
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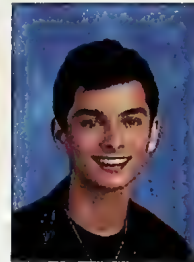
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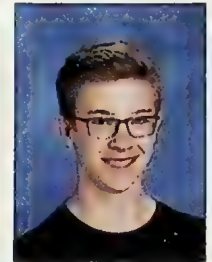
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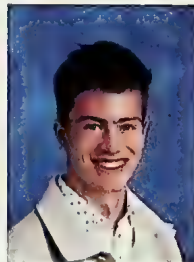
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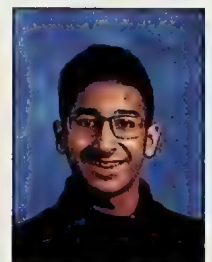
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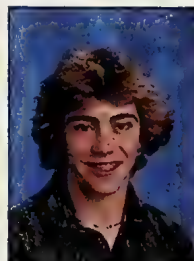
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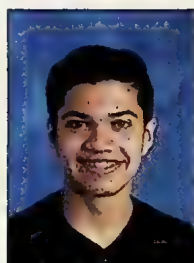
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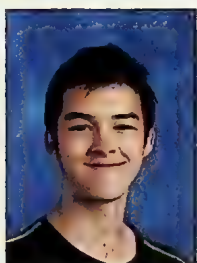
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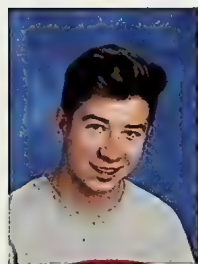
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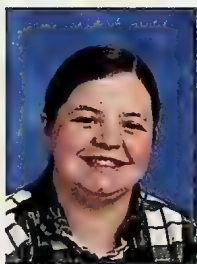
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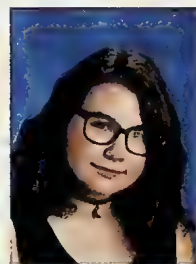
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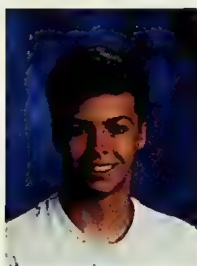
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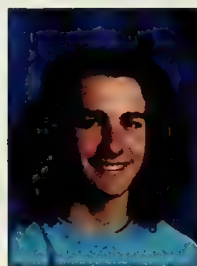
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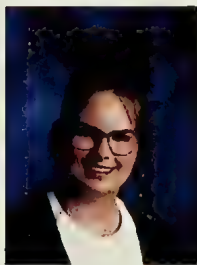
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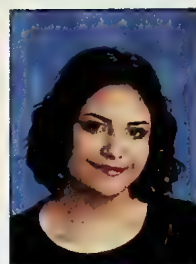
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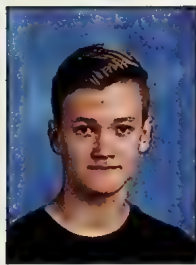
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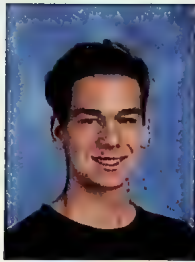
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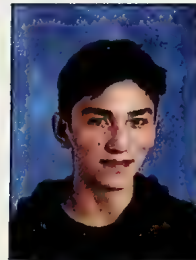
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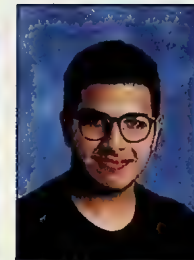
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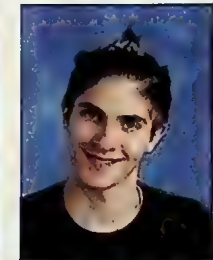
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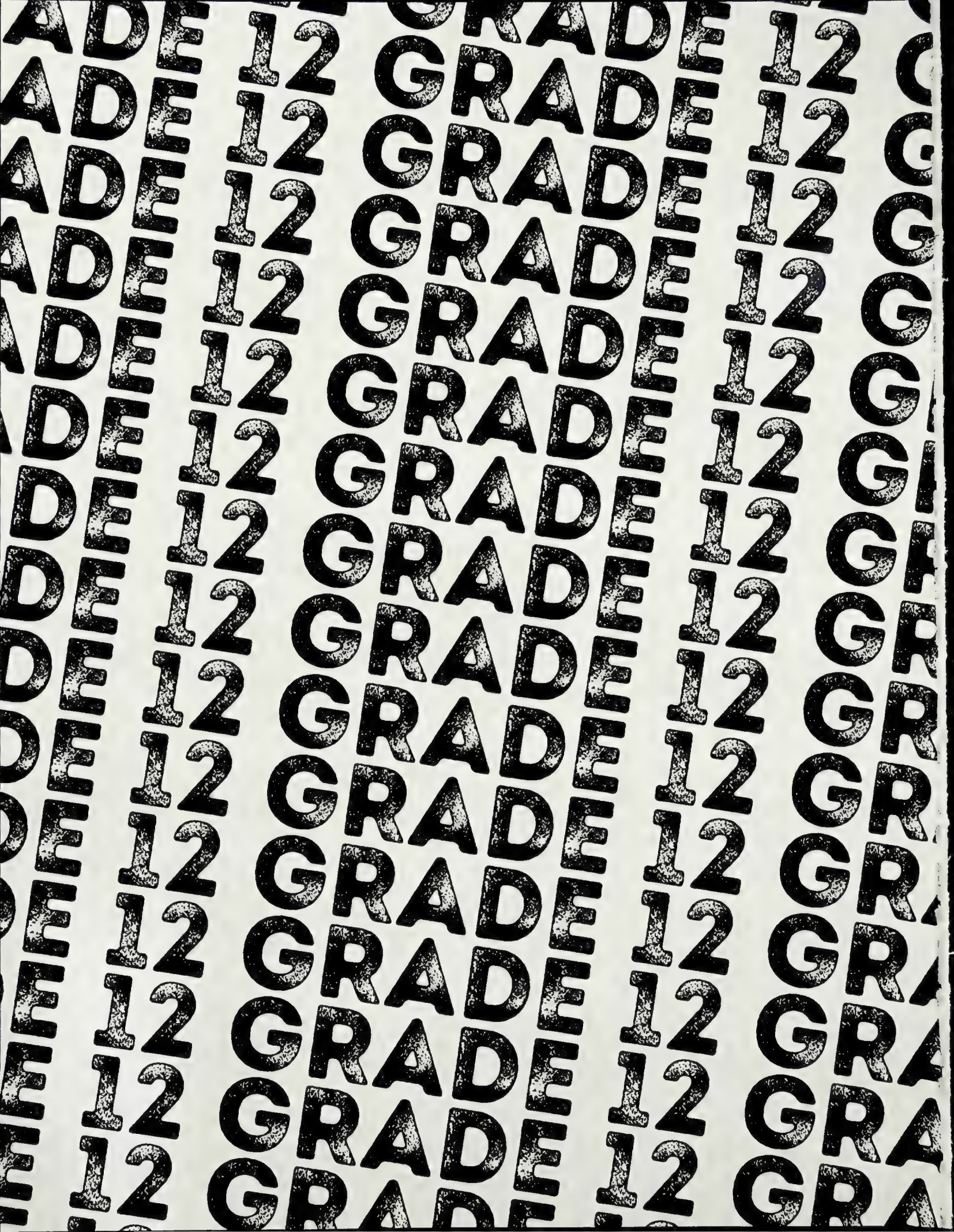
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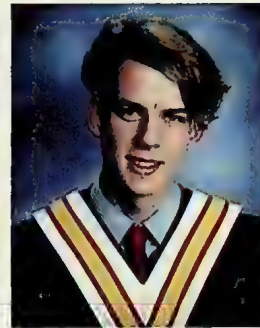
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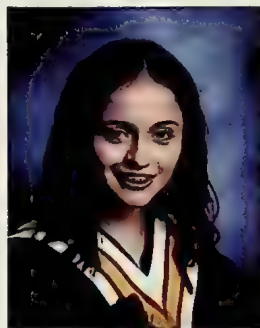
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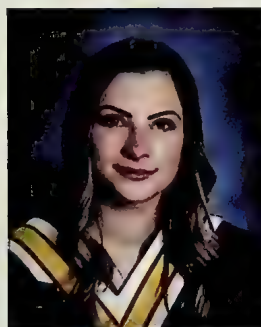
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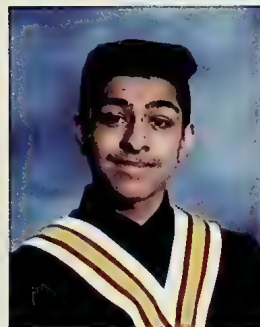
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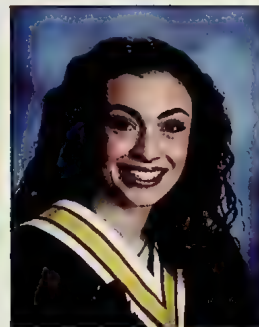
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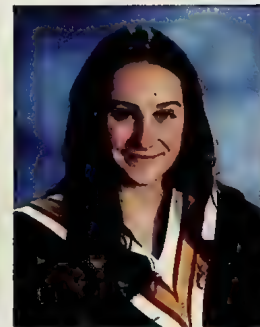
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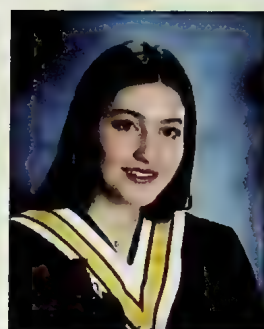
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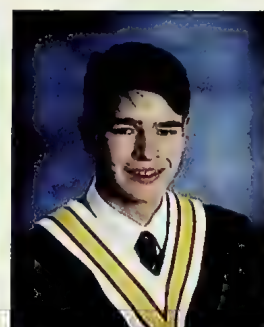
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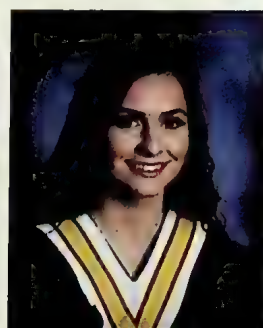
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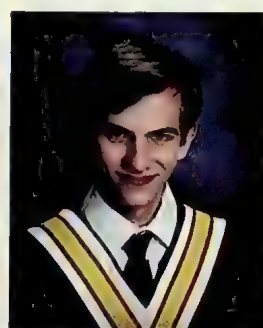
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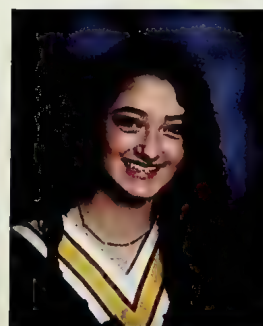
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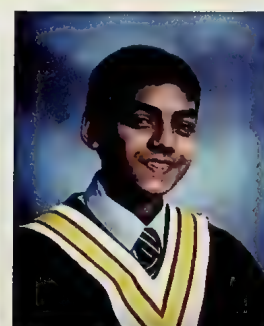
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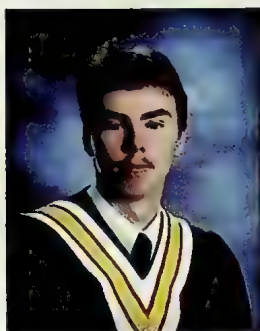
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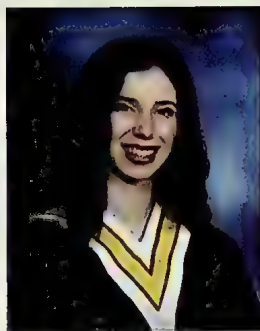
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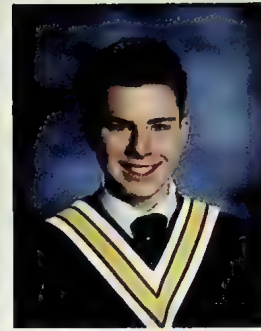
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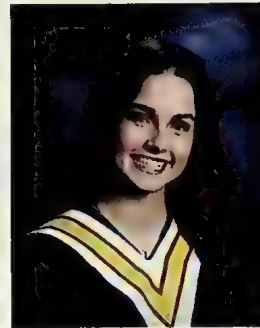
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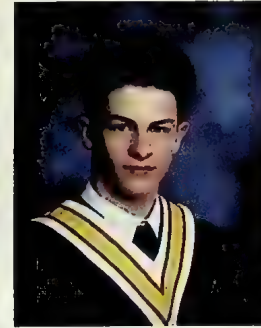
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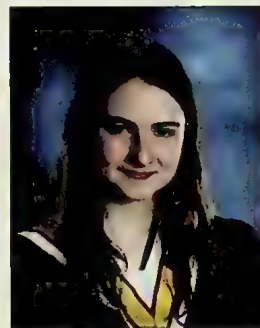
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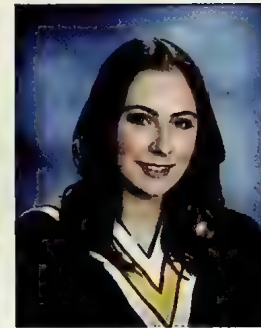
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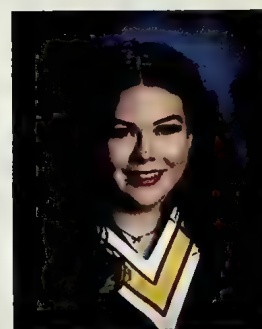
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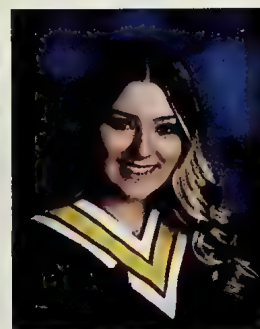
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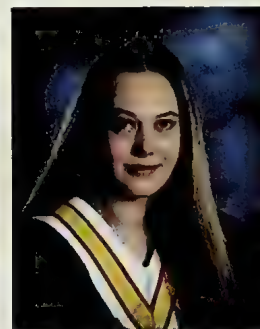
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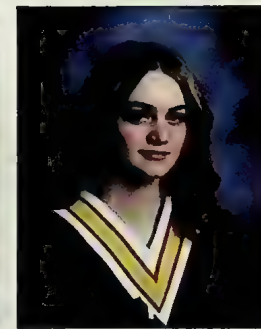
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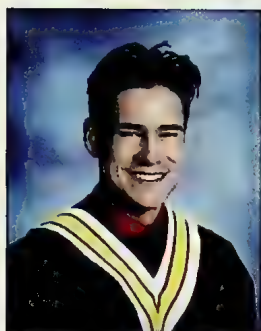
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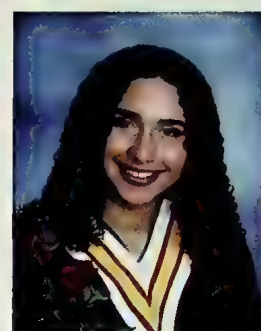
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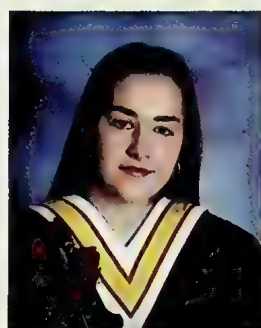
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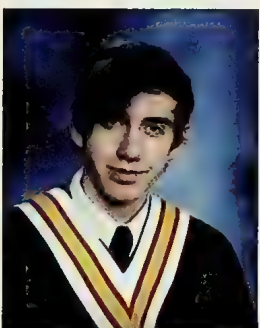
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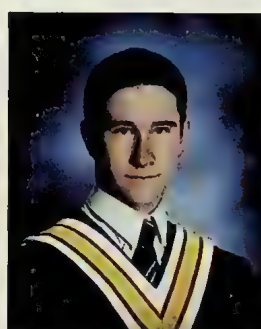
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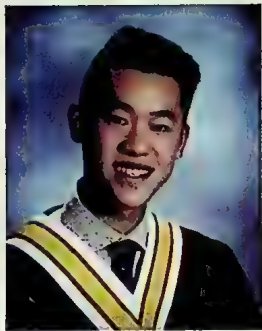
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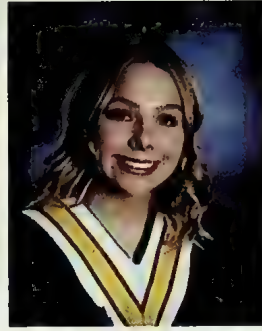
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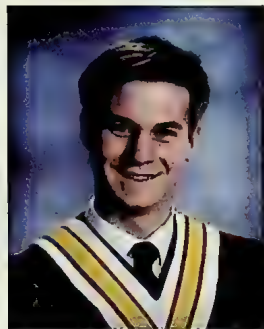
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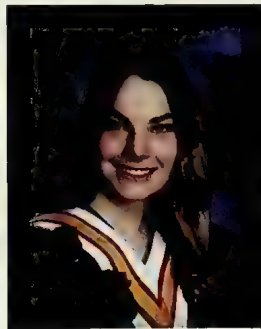
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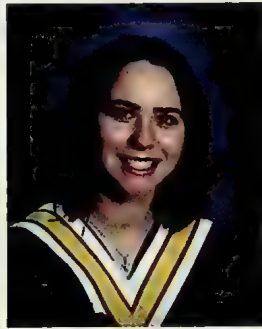
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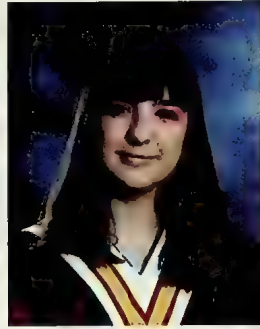
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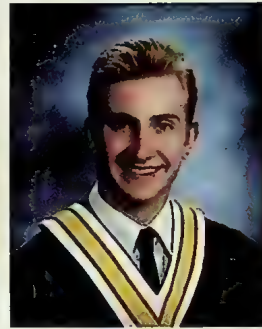
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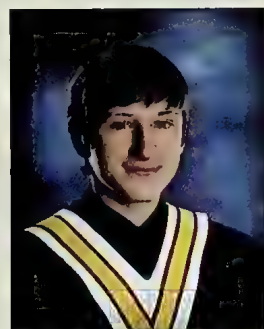
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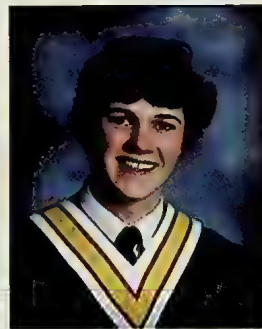
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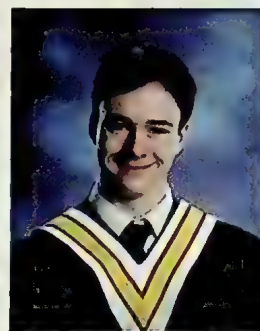
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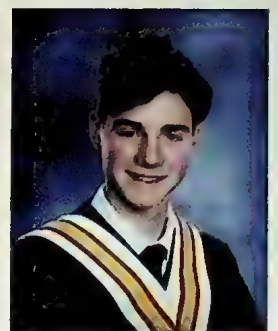
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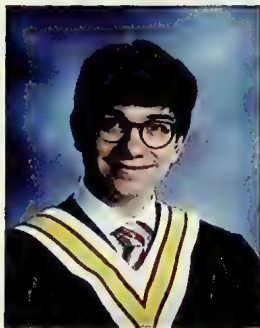
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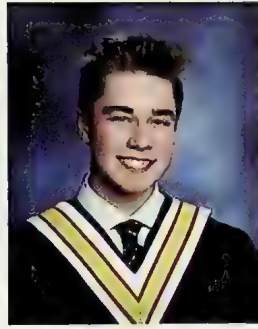
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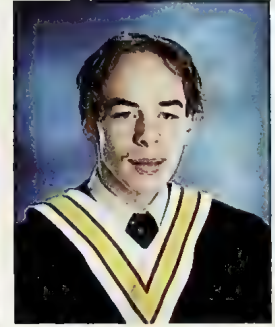
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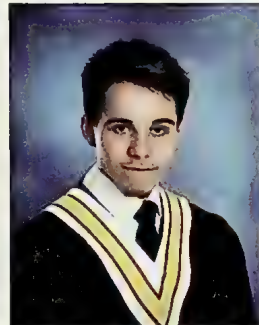
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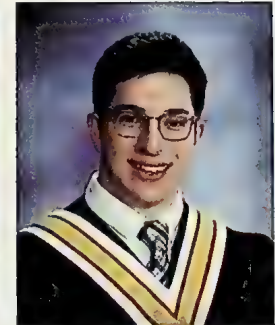
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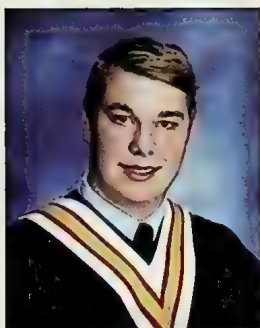
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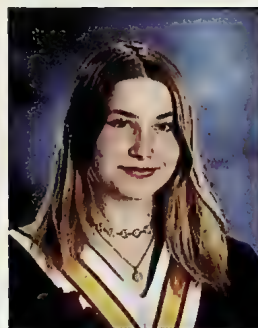
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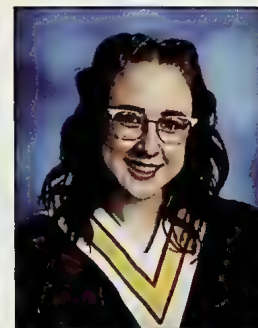
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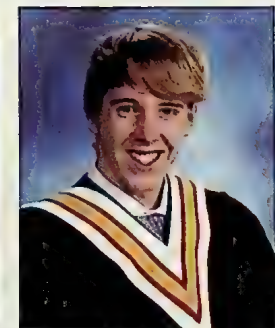
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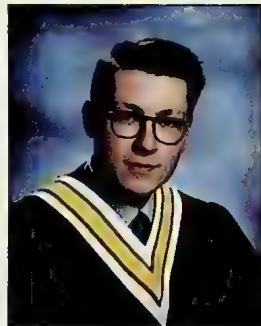
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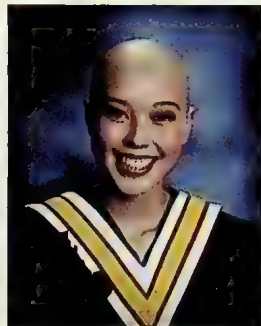
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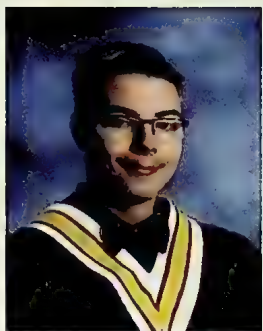
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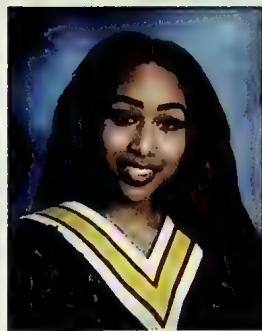
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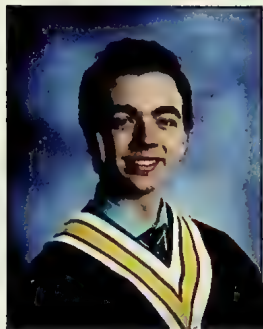
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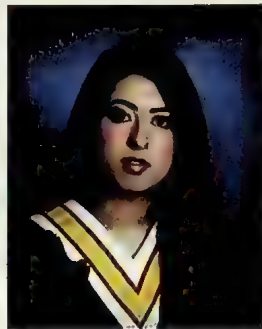
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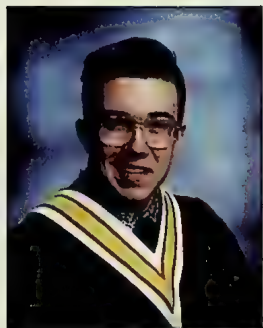
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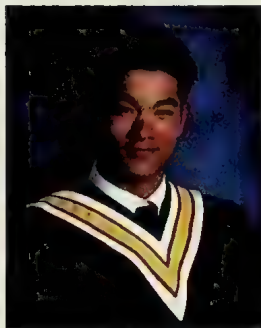
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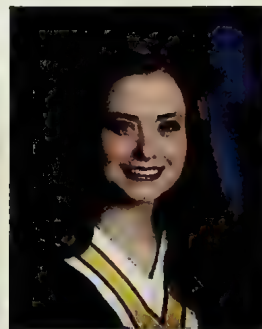
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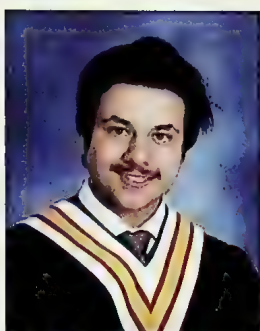
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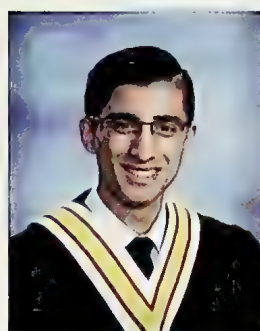
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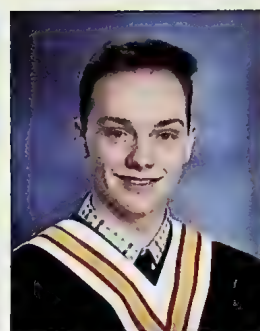
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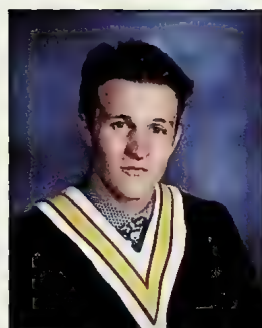
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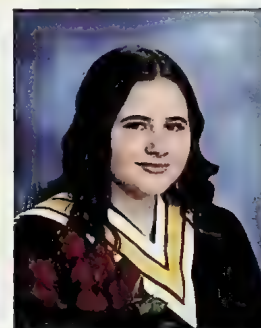
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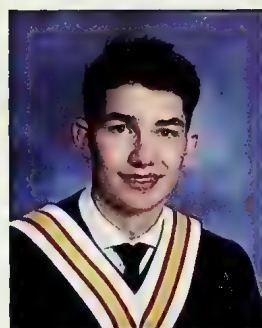
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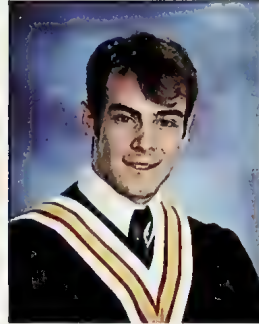
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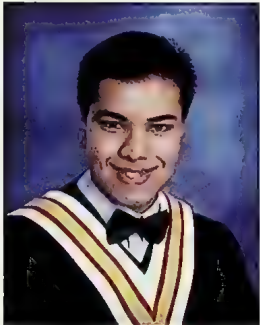
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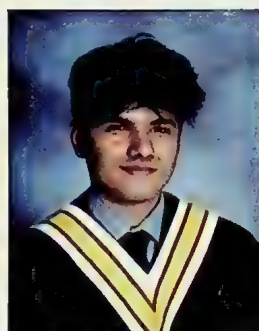
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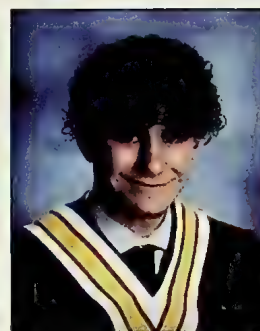
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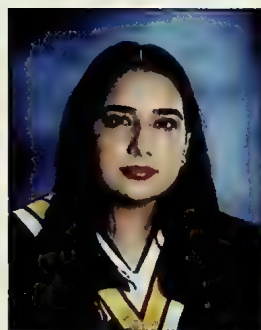
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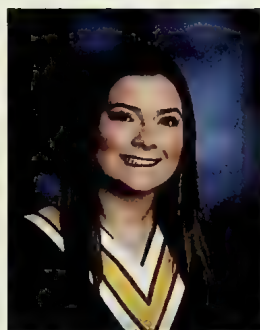
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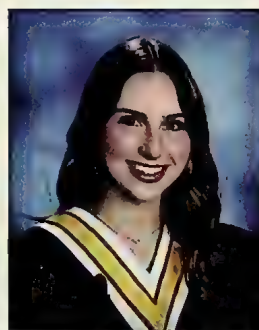
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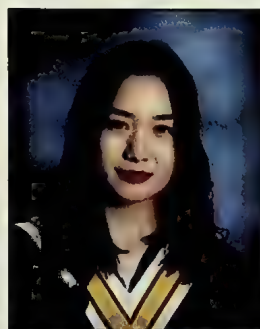
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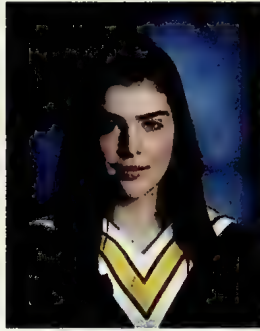
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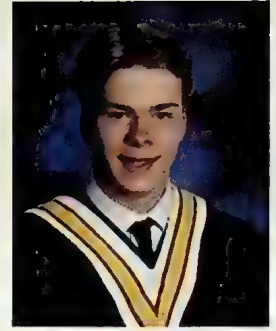
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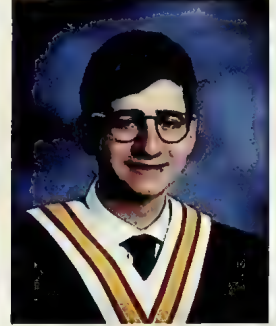
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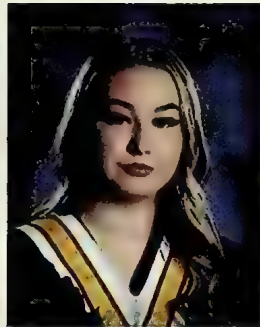
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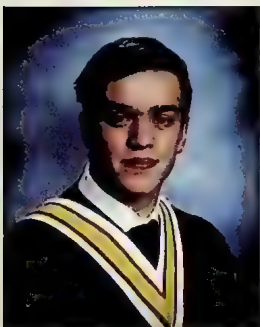
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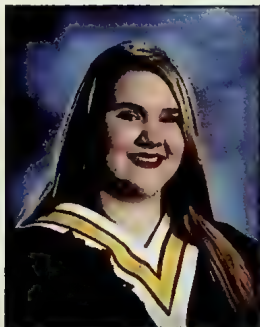
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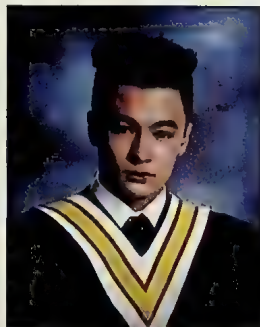
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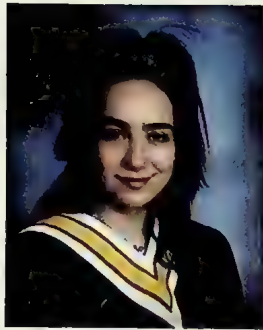
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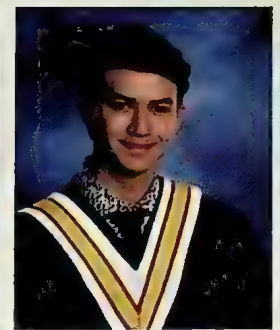
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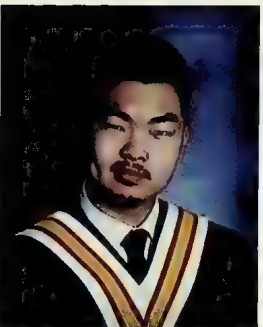
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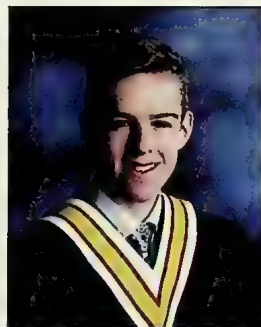
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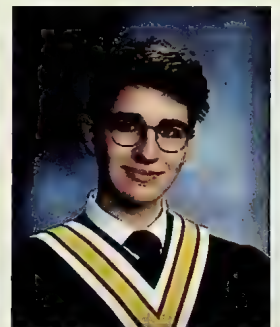
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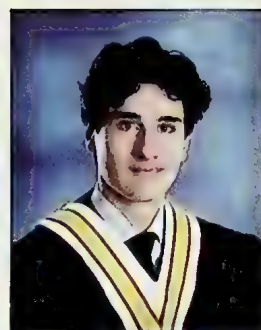
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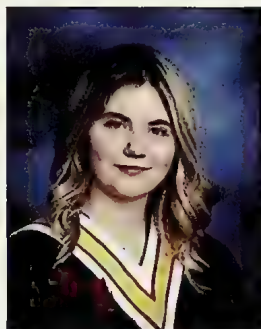
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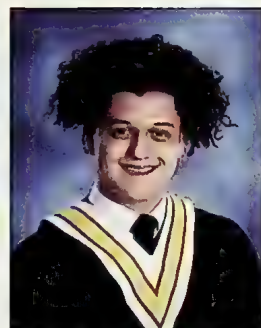
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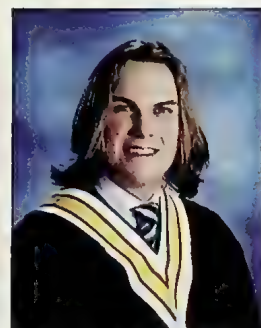
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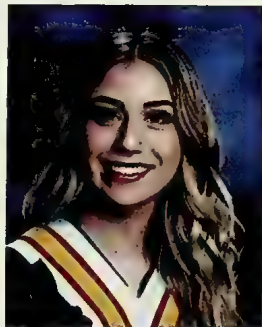
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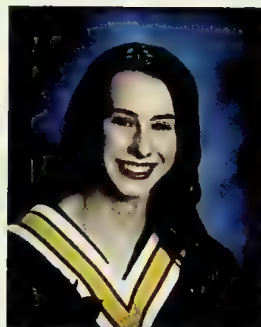
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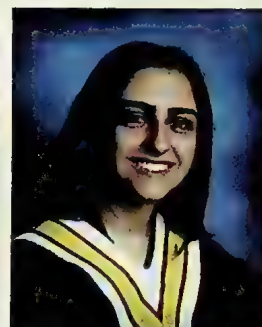
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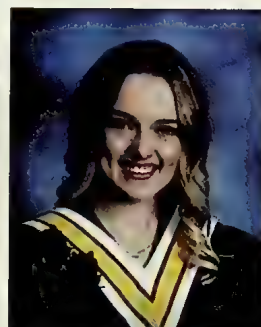
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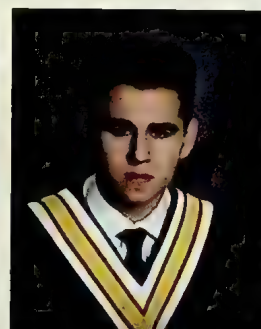
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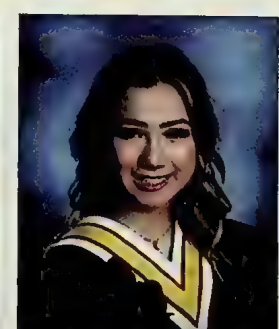
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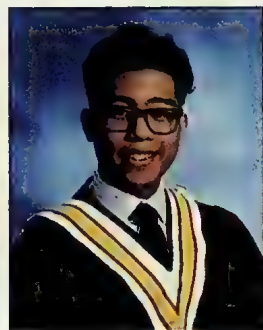
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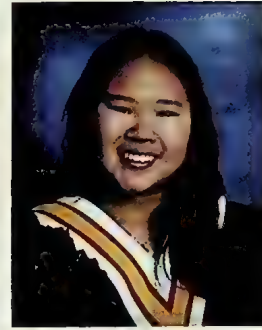
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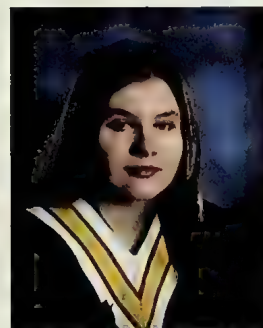
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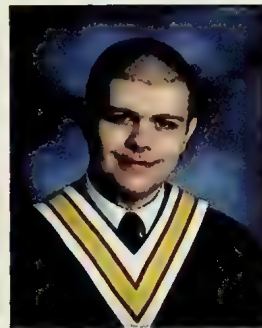
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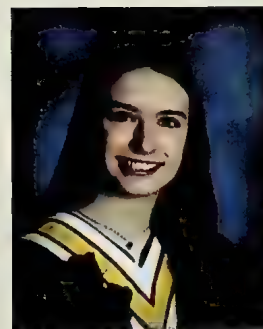
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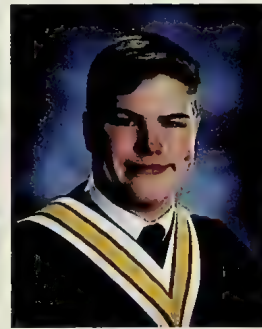
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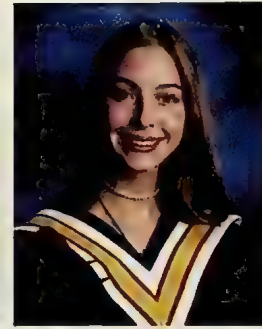
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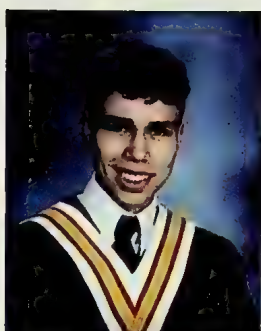
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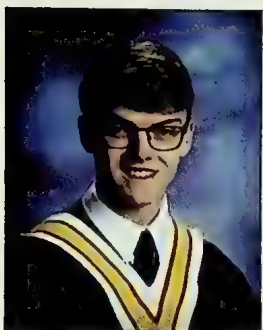
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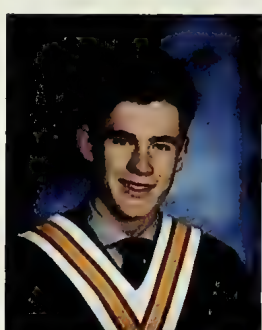
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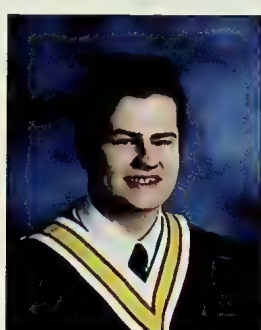
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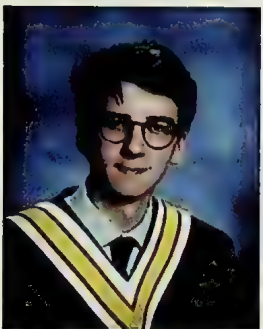
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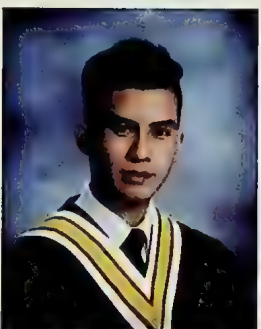
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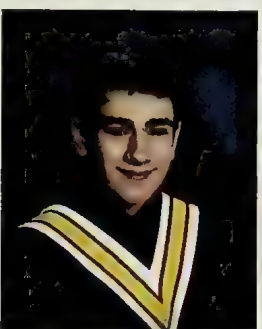
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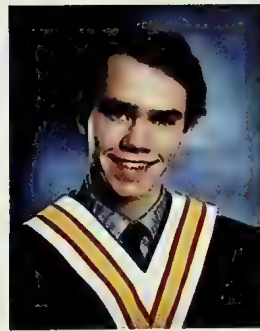
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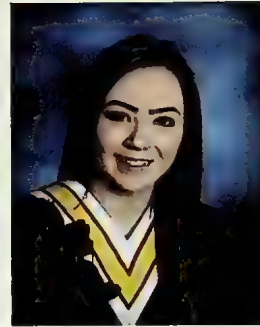
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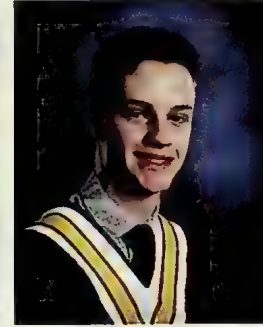
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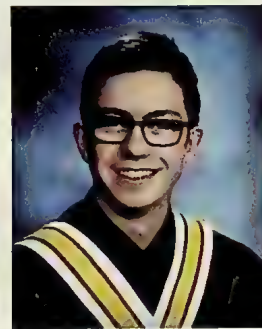
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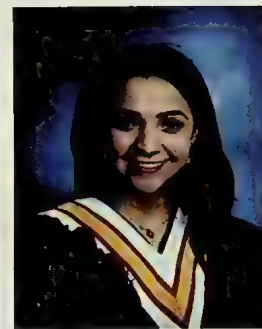
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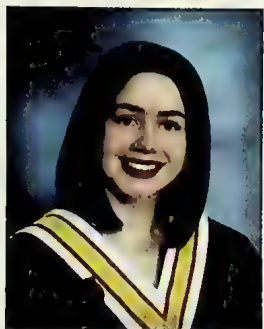
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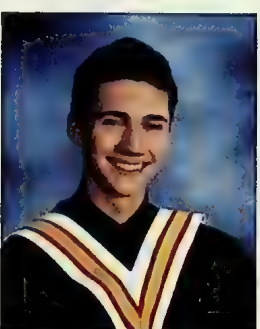
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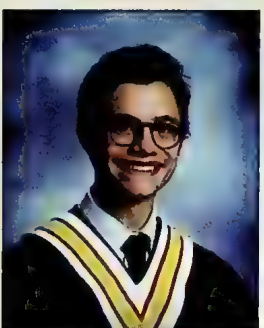
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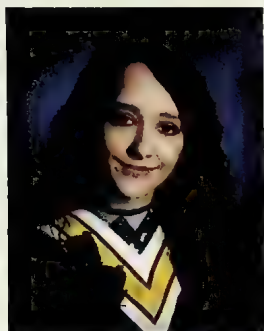
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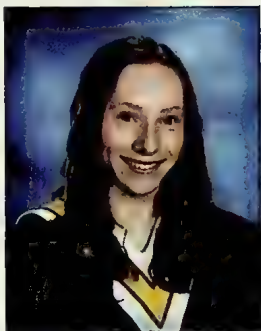
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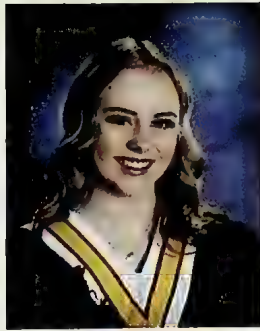
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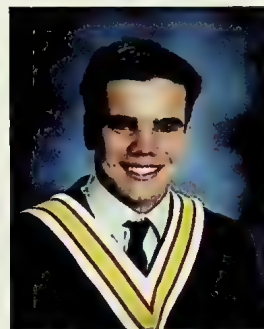
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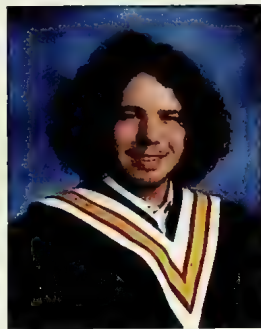
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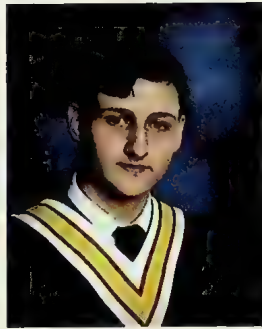
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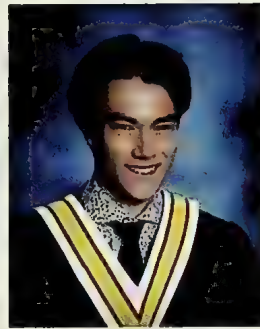
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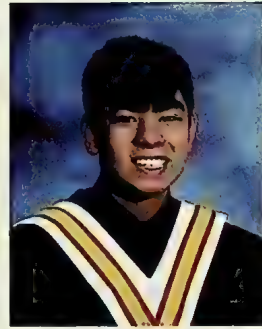
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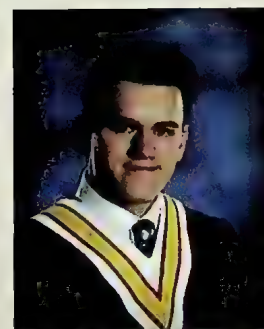
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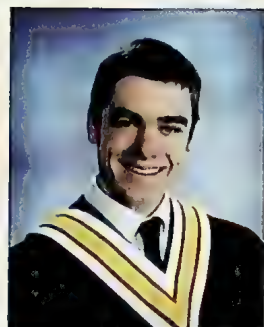
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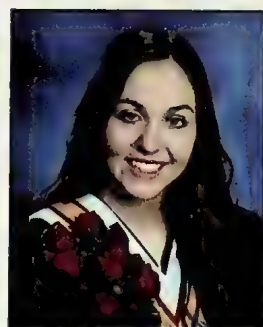
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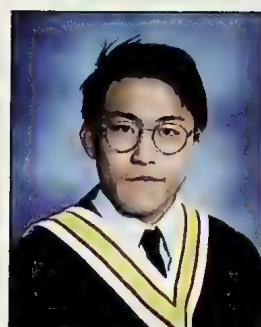
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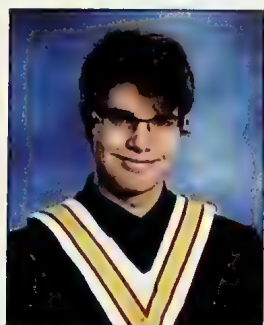
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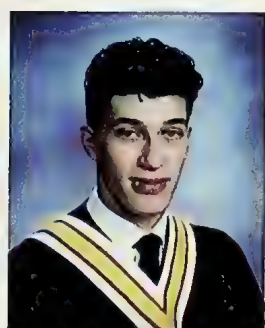
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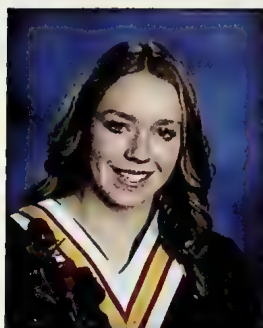
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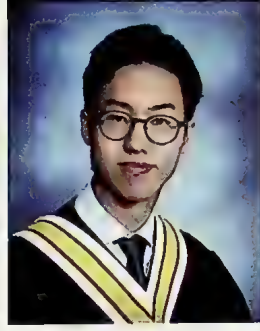
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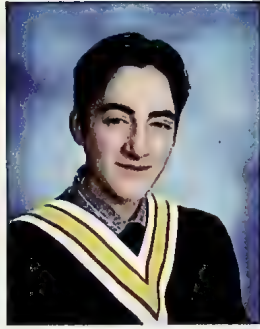
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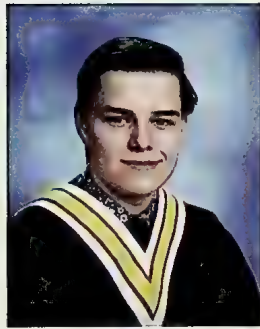
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A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

In past years, this portion of the yearbook would have been dedicated to showing Scona's many events, including Bikeathon, the dance showcase, the musical, band concerts, as well as celebrating the many accomplishments of Scona's athletes in spring sports. Though, as we all know, 2020 was anything but a normal year.

Let's take ourselves back to the evening of March 15th, the night that the province announced that there would be an extended Spring Break as schools figured out how to adapt to COVID-19. We thought that in a short few weeks, once the pandemic had blown over, we would all be back in school, back to our regular schedule. Unknowingly, this became the beginning of an entirely new world for us all. Therefore, the rest of this yearbook will explore our reality after March 15th, when we had to adapt to life online and make sacrifices in order to keep our loved ones safe. This is what became our reality, and despite all the hardships and challenges we faced, we embraced it and overcame it together.

BIKEATHON CANCELLED

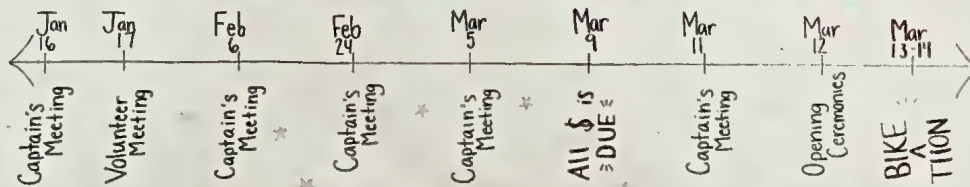
It's perhaps important to preface this with a general word of caution: in most cases, things make more sense to us in hindsight, and the decision to cancel Bikeathon is no exception. On 11th March, there were merely seven confirmed cases in the City of Edmonton; we wouldn't have known that just ten days later, the number of confirmed cases jumped to 57, and then 219 just another ten days later. Just imagine, in an event of such scale like our Bikeathon, if just one or two of the participants - whether they were our students, from another school, or from the nearby communities - had the symptoms, the effect could truly be devastating.

But of course, we couldn't have predicted any of that. In fact, even though the WHO officially announced that COVID-19 is a pandemic that very morning, we were still just carrying on with our routine, and the preparations for Bikeathon were still on-going at full throttle. We had been having bake sales every day for the past two weeks; my volunteer team had just had a meeting in the Lead room the day before, finalising all the shift assignments - heck, there was even a captains' meeting happening as scheduled during lunch hour that day! There was no indication whatsoever regarding a cancellation - except the WHO announcement, which had given us an ominous feeling but nonetheless still felt quite surreal.

At the very moment, before the announcement speakers crackled into life, every single one of us was doing the regular stuff at

our regular places for a block three class; none of us was expecting anything to happen - the Bikeathon meeting had just finished a few minutes ago, right? I was in the Caf for my spare with a friend of mine, and the only atypical thing that I noticed was the fact that our dear Mr deBoer was there. Out of curiosity, I asked him why he was here in the Caf, and he said he was on supervision duty. I exchanged a look with my friend, as we had never seen him on supervision

COUNTDOWN TO BIKEATHON



during the third block in the Caf - we don't usually see any teacher there, come to think of it. We didn't even have time to ponder over this anomaly, before Mr. Van Ginhoven's voice started to echo through every room and every hallway of our school, dropping us this bombshell - the decision to cancel Bikeathon.

Everyone reacted to this news differently - and it was to be expected since different students had different levels of involvement as well as different expectations towards this event. I've heard that our schoolmates from leadership were hit the hardest, and understandably so, as they had invested so much time and effort into making sure this collective endeavour went through as planned. Hurt was also one of the trending emotions; nobody thought it was fair to just abruptly cancel everything after a normal captains' meeting - although, in hindsight,

it was probably for the best to let the decision be broadcasted with teachers' supervision, rather than let the chaos unfold as words travel from ear to ear. It also hit me differently - to me, I just felt numb and wanted to laugh - a bitter laugh, that was; for the first time in three years, after the persistent attempts from some of my friends that in the end convinced me to sign up for Bikeathon, I was actually looking forward to joining the crowd - it was my final chance, after all. But fate had been unusually cruel lately, and since fate could not be tampered with by a mere mortal such as me, there was nothing that could have been

done other than letting out a long, resigned sigh.

I don't reckon that much teaching had been done that afternoon; even in the fourth block, everyone in my class - including Ms. DeJong, our math teacher - was quite low in spirits. We were mourning for the loss of normality, for the fact that the end result of all the preparations and hard work had been mercilessly taken away from us. And I believe that at that point, every single one of us had realised that our year was no longer normal. For something so significant to our school as Bikeathon to be cancelled, there would have been more to follow that would shape our school year to be even more strange and unusual; at that time, we just didn't know how soon or how bad.

And as always, fate gave us answers to both of those questions.



ONLINE LEARNING

With the entire world shutting down, eventually, a time would arrive where the sequences of our normality would experience a drastic shift. From celebrations meant to collectivize our hopes to activities that exhilarate nearly all individuals at its brief mention, to even the minor and perfunctory gestures we handle from a typical day; all that would eventually become a fleeting hope—a wish desperately clung on to. With April on the horizon, many students such as myself, while excited, were more worried about the upcoming AP exams, and Diploma exams. This was it. A chance to showcase the culmination of three years of dedication and experience brought on from arduous material—our final trials as high schoolers. However, the experiences my peers and I desired prior and succeeding the exams would not come to fruition. A new trail had arisen.

With the spread of Covid-19 in Edmonton, ensued the switch to online classes.

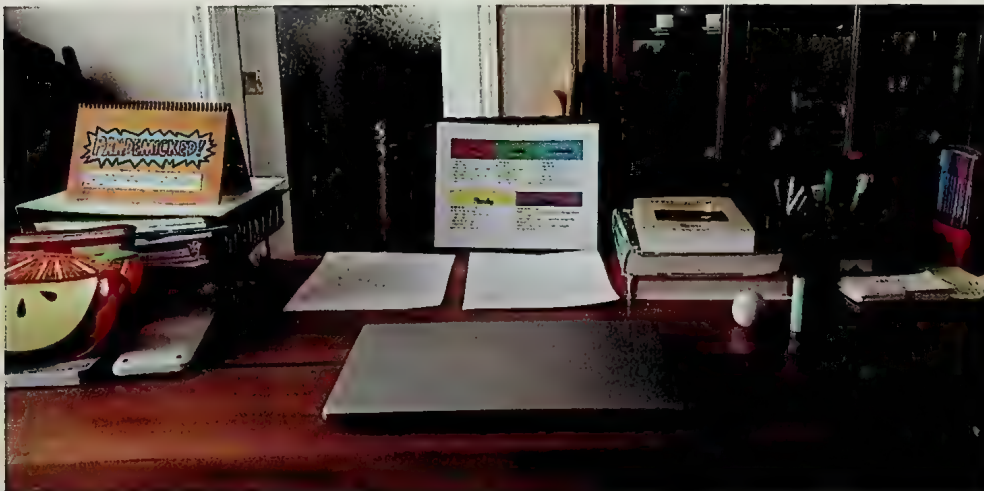
School at times was difficult, that's undeniable. However, the switch to online classes came packed with isolation and confusion, imparting me away from my friends and leaving a majority of us in a state of uncertainty. It was an odd time, and our teachers who rallied us with motivation and held the knowledge to guide us through the most difficult times seemed none the wiser. While the school material was delivered consistently with care and the utmost quality each teacher could provide, the many complex aspects that made a class experience of elation and inquisitiveness faded away into an experience of virtual dread and depravity.

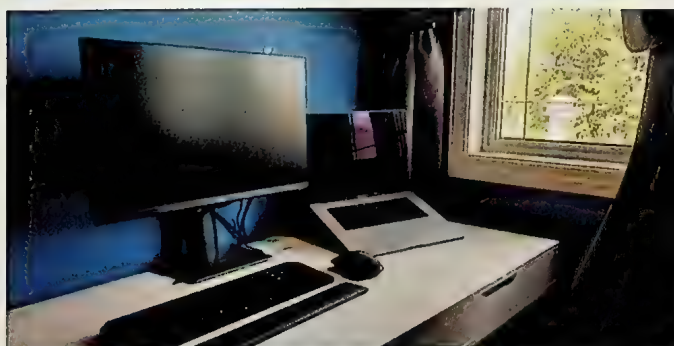
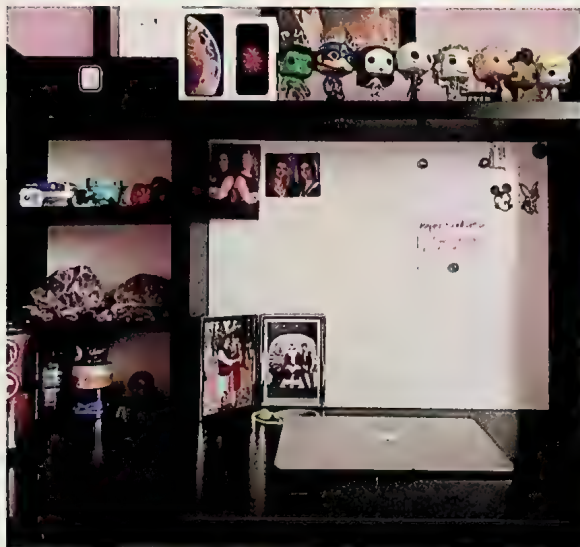
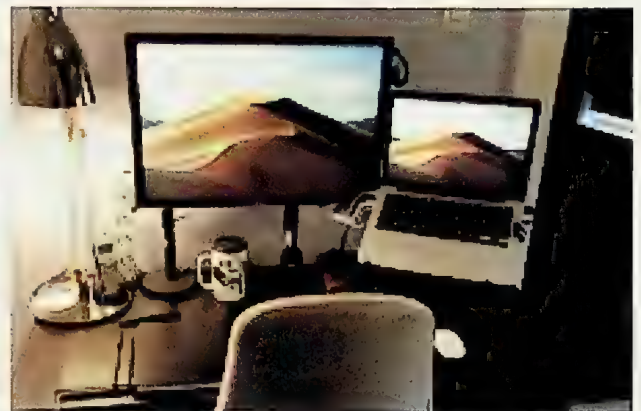
I think it's an understatement to say I was not that excited with online classes at first. It was torturous. It took twice as much energy and motivation to complete the online material as opposed to the effort that was needed in class. Furthermore, in spite of Diplomas being officially canceled, with AP exams fast approaching, I

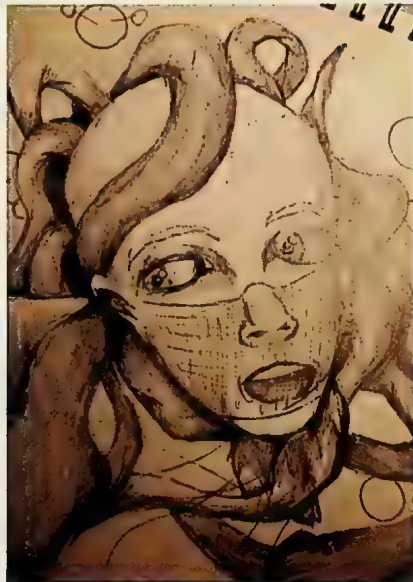
was beyond stressed. I knew my teachers were there for me. They would do their best to keep me drifting into a void of doubt, confusion, and despondency. However, at times I couldn't help but feel hopelessness clutch onto my ambitions, whispering to my ideals that "everything I'm doing holds no meaning." I couldn't shake the sense of dubiety, and yet I carried on.

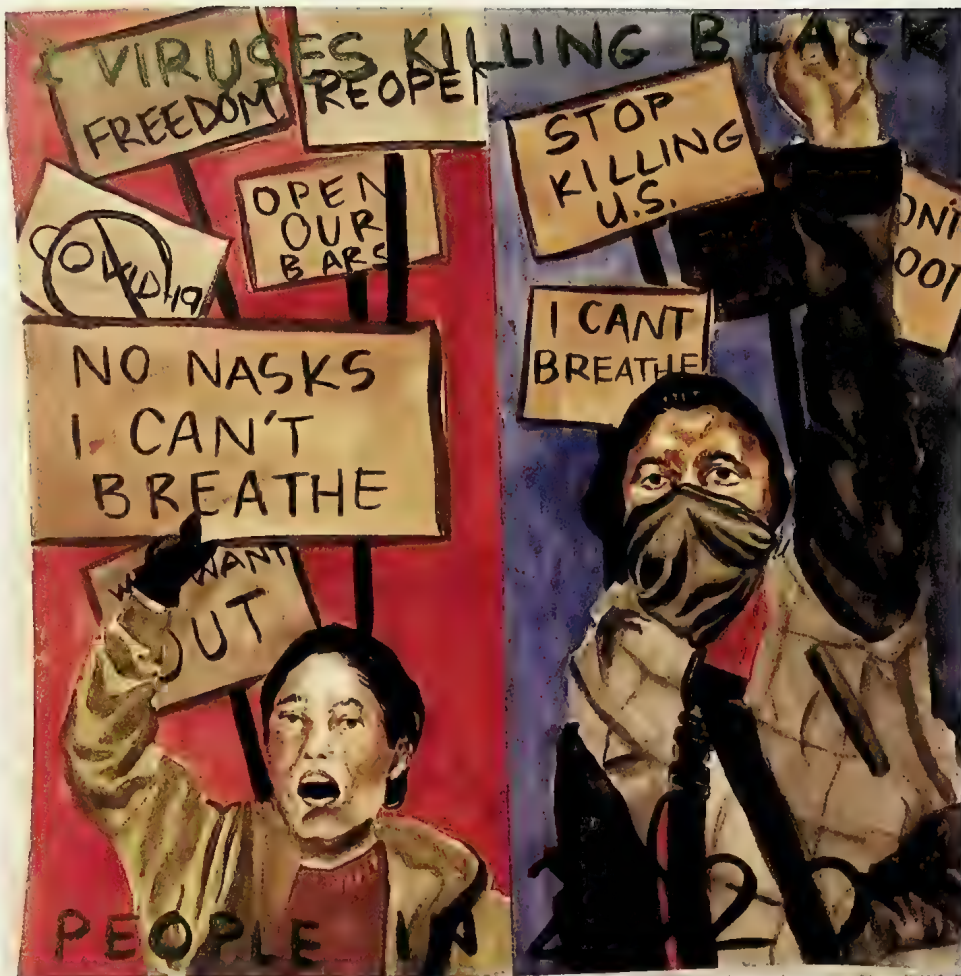
While it was a mentally strenuous task, the innate nerd in me eagerly wanted to enjoy the material again. Despite the difficulty, I set myself into a routine of work to make sure every assignment was done to completion and perfection. I wrote study schedules, finished assignments, and stayed organized. While it took time to adjust, I found that online learning could be approached in a more relaxed manner while still remaining diligent, and in time I found myself enjoying the unique intricacies in online learning.

Considering these trials, I can confidently say that I am proud of all I've done and all I've accomplished. So, as a member of the Strathcona Class of 2020, I want every student reading this to understand this. Whether you're learning in person, online, or by yourself through correspondence—I hope you discover your passions while learning in such a bright environment and eventually reminisce about your times in high school. Furthermore, please put in your best efforts, please pay attention to all your teachers, and lastly please enjoy your high school experience.



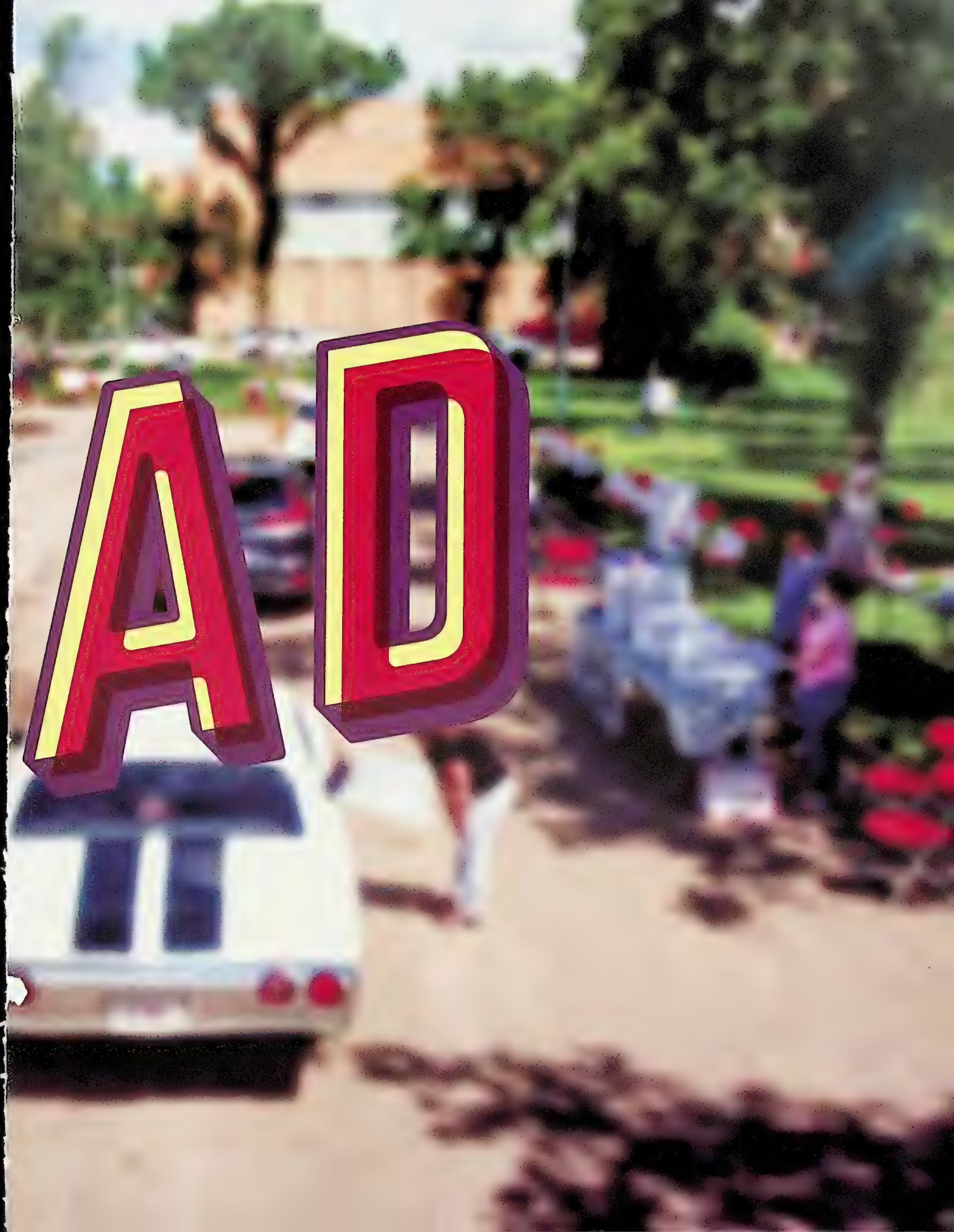


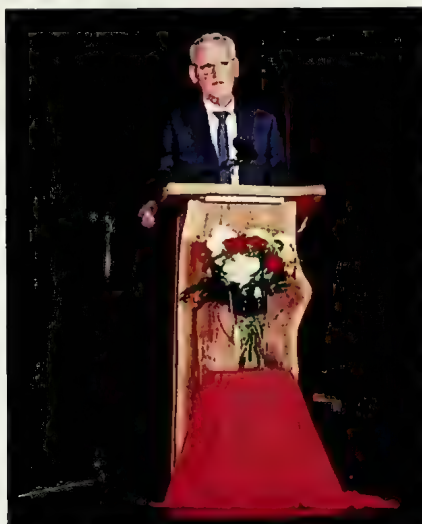
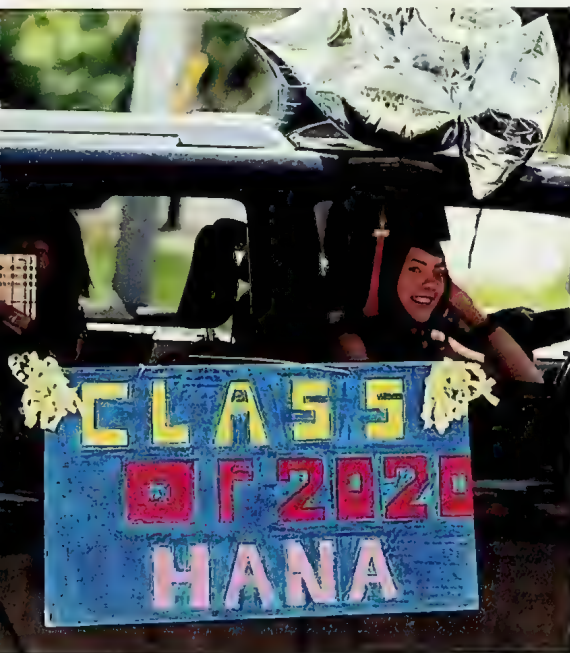




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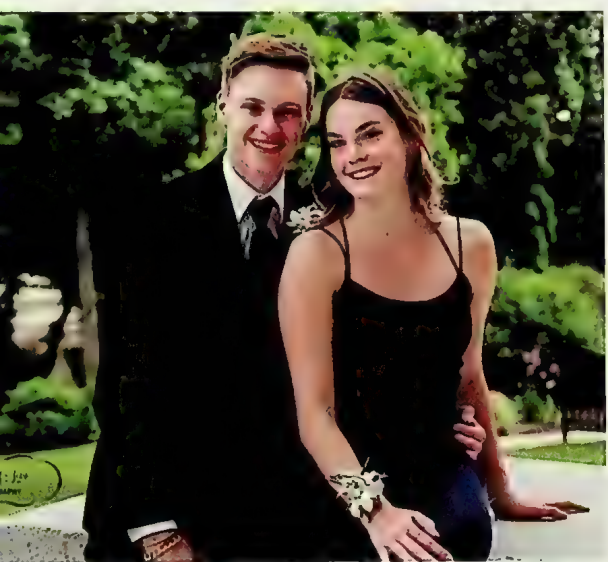






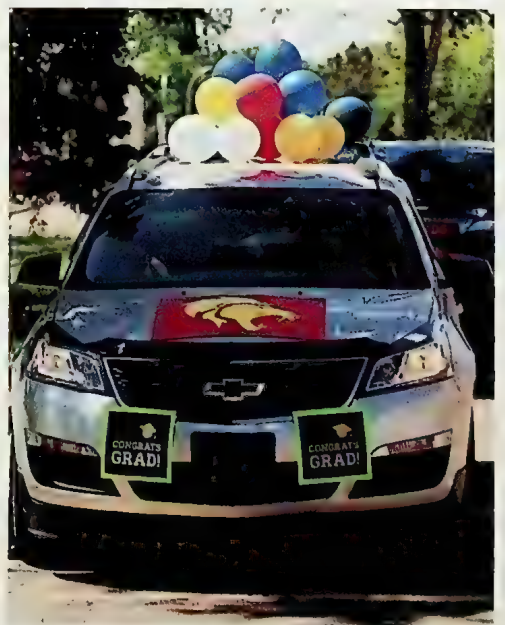
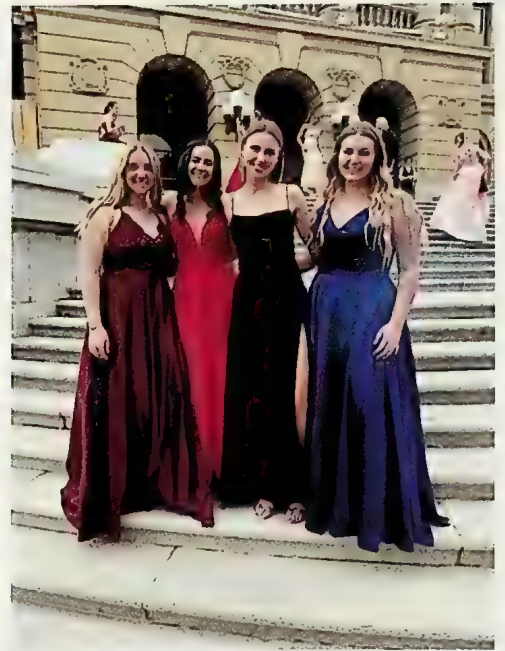




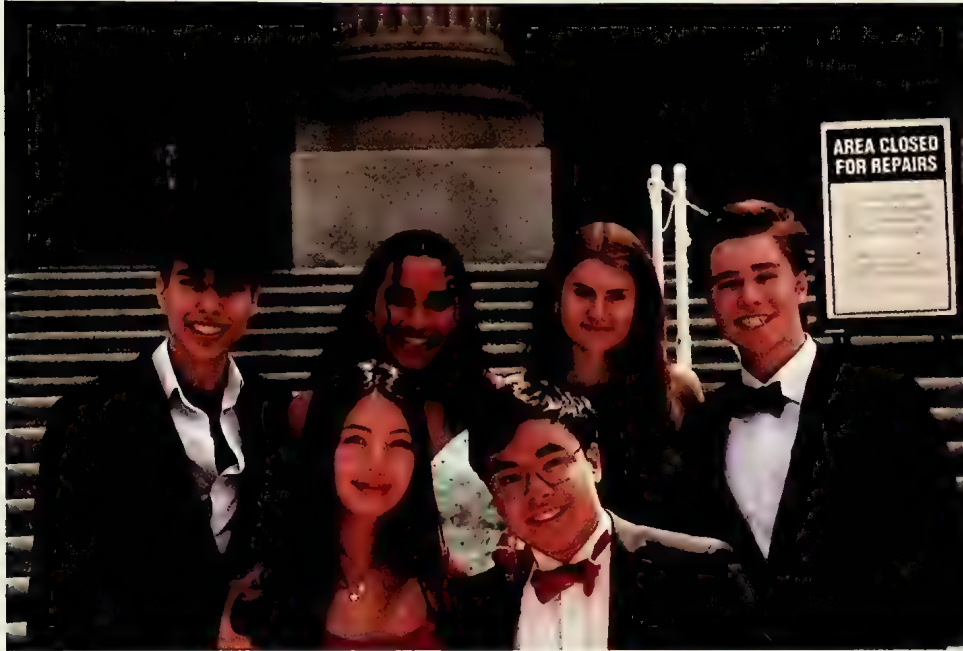












THE INDOMITABLE SPIRIT

Spronk: Good evening parents, friends, families and faculty. And a very special greeting to what I am sure is the worst dressed grad class in the history of Strathcona High School. For those of you who don't know me, good for you - you have probably done very well over the last 3 years. I am Josh Spronk. Pandemic social teacher, mediocre phys. Ed instructor and Athletic Director at Strathcona. I am honoured to be standing here today with someone who is not only better spoken than I am, but also contributed more to this speech - Mrs. Anna Janzen.

Janzen: Good evening to our faculty, friends, parents and the Graduating Class of 2020. I feel truly fortunate to have been presented with this gift of speaking tonight alongside Mr. Spronk.

Spronk: Originally when Janzen and I talked, this speech was supposed to be fairly lighthearted - but as we all know a world of change has come in the last three months.

Janzen: Change is tough at the very best of times. Doubt overshadows our ability to adapt and build resiliency. But one moment... one person can change all that. Many of you might not know this, but Mr. Spronk was the first friend

I made at Scona. He welcomed me, told me that he was glad I was here, and for the past two years, has always been there when I needed someone to listen. So what could a phys-ed teacher and an English teacher possibly have in common?

Spronk: They both study plays and aim to be the best.

Janzen: And whether he realizes it or not, he was someone, who through friendship, has taught me resiliency is made up of moments and people...and that we cannot make our way through this life alone.

Spronk: Unfortunately for myself, out of graduation, I was very resistant to change. I actively stayed away from it. Was scared of it. What I lacked in maturity I made up for in stupidity, and if I am being honest - didn't have what it takes at that time. I am sure you have a word for what I lacked...

Janzen: Grit. I love that word. Its very nature suggests toughness. It is the stuff that you will find at the core of who we are. It is the reason we keep going when we feel as though we can advance no further. It pushes us to the finish line...to write the perfect story...to solve the math equation...to ace that physics exam, to experience another language and culture, to sketch that perfect piece, to write code, to build tomorrow's leaders, to discover the powerful place that history has earned in the present...

Spronk: To appreciate what blood, sweat and tears will teach you in the gym, in the pool, on the field, to fix a car knowing that you can do something that few can, to build something with your hands, to accomplish independence in any one of countless life skills when you have been told you can't, to tell a story through the lens of a camera, to play an instrument that will

move people to tears, to be part of one of the greatest honours - to play the role of another's life story.

Janzen: But here's the thing about grit - it must be earned. It is built upon the currency of failure.

Spronk: Plagued with nightmares as a child, and finding out writing was his cure - Stephen King dealt with many rejection letters, low paying jobs and substance abuse before gifting us with incredible stories like Stand By Me, The Shining, and Shawshank Redemption. John Lewis overcame a stutter as a child by preaching to chickens and withstood beating by batons and whips during the civil rights movement to become one of the most respected civil rights activists and congressmen in North America.

Janzen: I can't say that I have been successful in fending off failure, it is always in reach, but, then again, so is hope.

Spronk: Unfortunately, the untold stories of loss and failure are far more common and much less interesting. I didn't start university until I was 27 - because I feared the unknown of post secondary life. What if I failed? This fear of failure after high school proceeded to bring me many failures. Eventually I did find something and stayed for nearly 14 years because what if I couldn't find something better. It took change, and maturity for me to step into a career that I love. I wake up every morning and get excited because I get to do something that I love. Teach, and make fun of kids. I can look back and I am thankful for this failure. To fail is to learn, and my failure has taught me a lot. My failure has made me appreciate the life I am making that much more, but this fear of failure impeded my ability to have this life that I love for too many years. I still have fear. We were voted to do this speech - was I excited to do it? Not really - what if I fail? And maybe I am failing. But I will learn. And



I will prepare better for the next graduating class that will be more formally dressed, and frankly, more present than you all are today. My hope is for you all to look back on your lives without as much fear and regret as I had - instead of getting beat down by this fear and regret - be inspired by it - be fueled by it.

Janzen: While you have all suffered unimaginable losses, you will not be defeated. That is the nature of grit. That is the indomitable spirit. All this was unexpectedly stolen from you. This silent force may have ravaged our lives but could not break the barriers of the human spirit. So what will you do? You will meet grit with grit. You will get back up. You will allow yourself to dream because that is what reality is built upon. You will give yourself permission to open the door to possibility, potential, and power. Power over what once again can BE and will be.

Janzen: That brings us to time. The thing about time is that while it may be measured with seconds, hours, days, weeks, months and years its essence cannot be quantified. Its essence can be found in moments. Moments that represent the hardiness of character molded by the obstacles and triumphs that life presents us with. Moments that help to shape us into the human beings that we will become.

Spronk: Moments that will determine our outcome as scientists, teachers, lawyers, mechanics, professors, carpenters, artists and activists. What is perhaps of the utmost importance is the human being that is crafted. Someone that is accepting and welcoming to all. Someone that knows better and then does better. Someone that recognizes empathy must reside at the core of all we do. This is easy to believe, but much harder to live.

Janzen: May you live a life of hope and acceptance. May you live a life of fulfillment and selflessness. May you recognize and seize the opportunity that life presents you with. May you realize the power you possess for change, for accomplishment.

Both: Never allow someone to take ownership of your dreams,



hopes and desires. Never allow your failures to overshadow your potential. Never allow your doubt to overrule your certainty. Never allow your differences to dictate the conditions of your acceptance. Never allow yourself to walk ahead of another.

Spronk: We must walk together.

Janzen: Strength and resilience is built upon our ability to harness the forces of the human experience. And that cannot be done alone. So, together it will be.

Spronk: Technology has allowed your generation to be more connected to people than ever before. In the palm of your hands, you have people, and you have a platform. You are the most informed graduating class we have ever had. You have the ability to learn from our failures and create a bolder path - without fear of failure - because you will learn and you will teach. Learn from our failures, the failures of your politicians, the failures of your teachers, your friends. Your parents. But listen to them, to fail is to learn, some of us have learned a lot.

Spronk: What we require of you is not easy - it must be fueled by grit. The firmness of character - the indomitable spirit. Impossible to subdue or defeat. You will need to weather the storms of failure, injustice, loss, disappointment. But it is the rise from the fall

that will determine our character.

Janzen: It is the possibility that follows adversity that carries us forward. It is the hope of building based on differences that inspires us to remain steadfast in our resolve of one day living in a world built upon peace and acceptance. It is through grief that we discover happiness.

Spronk: We are Scona Lords, made of the toughest elements of the human spirit.

Janzen: May the moments in your life be illuminated by the insights gained in the darkest hours and may the essence of your character defeat the greatest of challenges. Remember that we must traverse the darkness before we step into the light. I do believe that Martin Luther King Jr said it best when he said, "Only when it is dark enough can you see the stars."

Spronk: We are Scona Lords... may have been inspired by the past, we remain resilient in the present and we share a vision for the future....

Spronk: To the Scona Graduates of 2020, you are the embodiment of Scona. Human beings that are the essence of all that the future is built upon: prosperity, peace and promise.

Janzen: May you live a life marked by the positive and profound impact you leave on the world.

Both: Once a Lord, always a Lord.

VALEDICTORIAN ADDRESS

Good evening to my fellow graduates, family, friends and all those around the world who have joined us for our Virtual Grad tonight. I hope many of you have dressed up for this special occasion--maybe some of you even decided to get out of your pajamas this morning--because this is a truly important event. Although it might not have been what we expected in September, this ceremony is a time for us to celebrate who we have become and look forward to what we can achieve.

Before I can talk about who we are today, I'd like you to think back for a moment. Do you remember your first day of school? If you're like me, you

might have an idea, but it's probably pretty blurry by now. How about the first day of grade 10? Man, what a crazy experience that was, walking into a brand new environment with 1500 unfamiliar and what seemed like really tall people. How did you feel walking through the halls for the first time? Maybe you felt confident or maybe you felt lost or even overwhelmed. I know I was. Regardless of how you felt, you had expectations. You had an idea of what high school was going to be like from friends, family or the media. You also might have had an idea of what you were going to accomplish in high school. Maybe you wanted to pursue something you were passionate

about, or you were inspired by Scona's history of excellence and wanted to be part of it. But there was one thing that we all looked forward to... walking across the stage to pick up your diploma. However, a lot has changed since then. We have grown and become different people since grade 10. High school may have been different to what we expected upon walking into those doors the first time. Most of this is for the better. During your time at Scona, you made new friends, joined new clubs, and hopefully broke out of your comfort zone a bit. Unfortunately, there were also some challenges that we didn't expect. Something that seems to have fundamentally altered our high school experience. A pandemic.

Back in December, I remember how everyone claimed to have 20/20 vision, but I think I speak for all of us when I say that nobody saw this coming. Initially, I didn't want to talk about the pandemic because I felt like it didn't accurately represent our high school experience. We have seen it all over the news and social media, but personally, I think the pandemic is not what we--the class of 2020--should be remembered by. Haven has proved that by reminding us of the numerous events and achievements that have made up our time at Scona. While I don't want to talk about the pandemic itself, I feel like it is necessary to address what we have learned from this experience.



You may already know that this year's grad theme is "inspired by the past, resilient in the present, with a vision for the future." We've already heard about the past and present, so I am here to tell you about the future. Now I'm no psychic, so I think they got the wrong guy for this. Honestly, I have no idea what the future is going to be like. When people ask me where I see myself in ten years, my first thought is "I don't know". I think many of you might be in the same situation, especially during this time where our lives are so rapidly changing. But that's okay. Because I think what this pandemic has taught us is that we don't know what the future holds for us.

Now that is not to say that we can't have a vision for the future. In fact, I think it speaks for the opposite. With the uncertainty that we face going forward, into new schools, new jobs, new lives, it is essential that we have a vision, a light to guide us to the future that we seek. Because when challenges inevitably arise, we have to remember our vision, so that we don't lose track of where we're going, so that we can persevere. Just as we faced a challenge this year, you will face difficulties in your life. We are lucky, in a way, that we faced this pandemic together, that we are all going through the same struggle. We may face personal challenges in the future, where we aren't guided in how to deal with them as we are now. Just as easily as unforeseen challenges can knock us off our course, having a vision allows us to get ourselves back on track. This is resilience, but

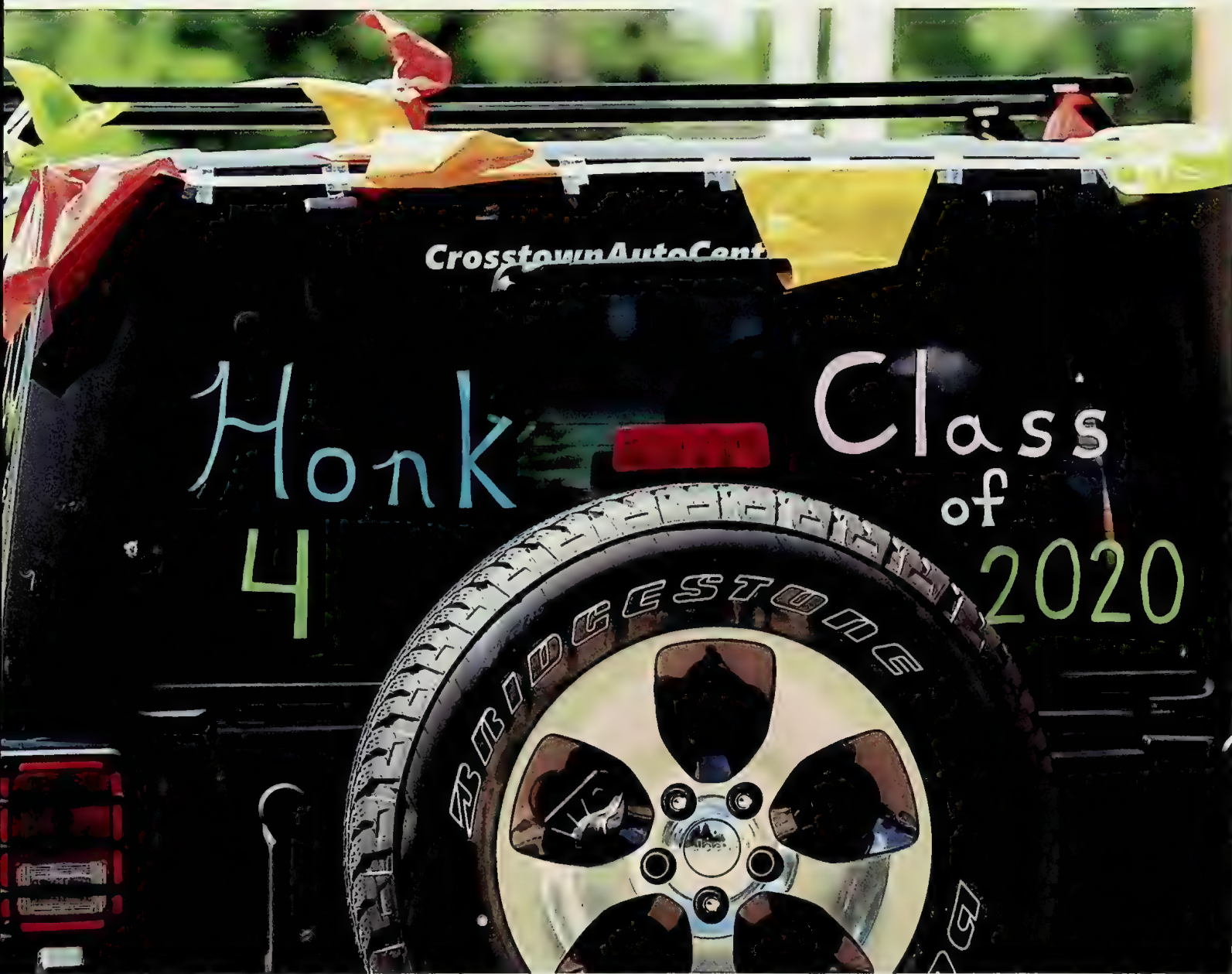


resilience is meaningless if we do not have a purpose. Resilience is what gets us back up if we fall down, but a vision is what gets us moving forward again. That is what's important. We might not know where we are going to be in ten years, but a vision allows us to get where we want to be, regardless of how long it takes us.

Although we have and will face personal challenges throughout our lives, we will never face them alone. Now is a time for us to remember the people who have supported us throughout our journey from kindergarten to graduation and moving forward. First and foremost, I'd like to thank our parents who have made it their vision to get us where we are tonight. As well, I think the rest of our friends and family deserve thanks. I'd probably have gone insane in the last few months without them. Last and certainly not least, I'd like to thank all of

the teachers and support staff here at Scona who have helped us through these especially difficult circumstances. It's amazing how some--like Mr. Johnston--even redefine what it means to be a teacher, as Scona may be the only school where math teachers chase bike thieves through the parking lot.

While these people have played a large role in our lives, ultimately, tonight is about celebrating us--the class of 2020. The venue of our ceremony may look different to each of us, but what we celebrate is the same. Tonight we celebrate what we have accomplished and who we have become in the past twelve years of our lives, and we look forward to what our future will hold. As Scona lords, I have no doubt that just as we are able to face this pandemic, we will be able to overcome future challenges when they arise. Thank you and congratulations!



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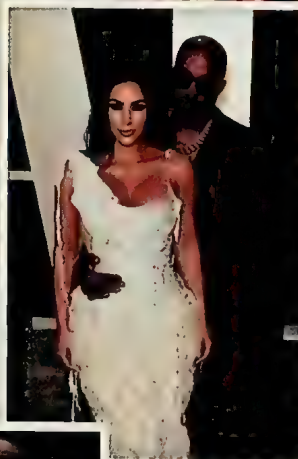
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A CHANCE TO REBRAND

Erin O'Toole, the former Conservative minister of veteran affairs and foreign affairs critic, replaced Andrew Scheer as leader of the official Opposition in August. Scheer resigned as leader in December 2019, following the discovery that he had used party funds for personal use. O'Toole won 57% of votes on the third ballot of the leadership election, while former cabinet minister Peter McKay finished second, with 43%. Around 4,000 of the mail-in ballots cast were damaged by an automated letter opener and had to be manually taped back together. O'Toole, who previously placed third in the 2017 Conservative leadership race, said he planned to help the party broaden its base to include Canadians from all regions and diverse backgrounds.

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THE DAYLIGHT ZONE

Yukon decided 2020 was the year to pull the plug on the century-old practice of moving the clocks ahead an hour during spring and summer and back for the fall and winter. As a result, for part of the year, the territory will now be an hour ahead of British Columbia and two hours ahead of Alaska, though closer timed to the more eastern time zones. Proponents of seasonal time change offer a range of rationales, from providing more daylight hours during the workday to less energy consumption, while detractors say the practice is confusing, unhealthy and obsolete. British Columbia originally planned to follow suit, but delayed its plans a year due to the pandemic.

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FAMILY TIES

In June, WE Charity, an organization focused on international development and youth empowerment founded by brothers Marc and Craig Kielburger, was awarded a \$900 million federal contract to administer a summer program for student volunteers. Other organizations argued that WE received preferential treatment as a result of its ties to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's family, which included a number of paid speaking engagements. Parliamentary committees investigated and found evidence supporting these allegations and of pressure from Trudeau's cabinet to award WE the contract. Along with damaging Trudeau's reputation, the scandal resulted in a formal investigation into WE, and in September, WE announced it was ceasing operations in Canada.

WATER DAMAGE

Ice jams caused the Athabasca and Clearwater rivers to overflow in April 2020, causing disastrous flooding in the northern Alberta town of Fort McMurray. The flood resulted in nearly \$522 million in damages, affected more than 1,200 structures and displaced thousands of residents. The flood was the second recent disaster for the town—in 2016, record-high temperatures and strong winds fanned a nearby wildfire, resulting in a mass evacuation and the destruction of hundreds of Fort McMurray's homes.



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13 DEADLY HOURS

On April 18, following a fight with his partner, Gabriel Wortman loaded multiple firearms into a replica police car and began a 13-hour killing spree across Nova Scotia. Wortman, a 51-year-old dentist with a history of domestic violence, killed 22 people before he himself was shot and killed by an RCMP officer. Wortman's motive remains unknown, and the RCMP was criticized for its handling of the case. The rampage was the deadliest ever seen in Canada, exceeding even the 1989 École Polytechnique massacre that resulted in the deaths of 14 Montreal women.

PIPE BLOCKAGE

The construction of the Coastal GasLink Pipeline through unceded Wet'suwet'en First Nation territory in British Columbia has resulted in a series of civil disobedience protests and blockades dating back more than a decade. In February 2020, the RCMP enforced a new court injunction, removing Wet'suwet'en blockades and arresting land defenders. As a result, a number of solidarity protests, many in the form of rail blockades, formed around the country. Talks between territory leaders and the federal and B.C. governments led to a provisional land rights agreement, but Wet'suwet'en hereditary chiefs continue to oppose the pipeline construction.



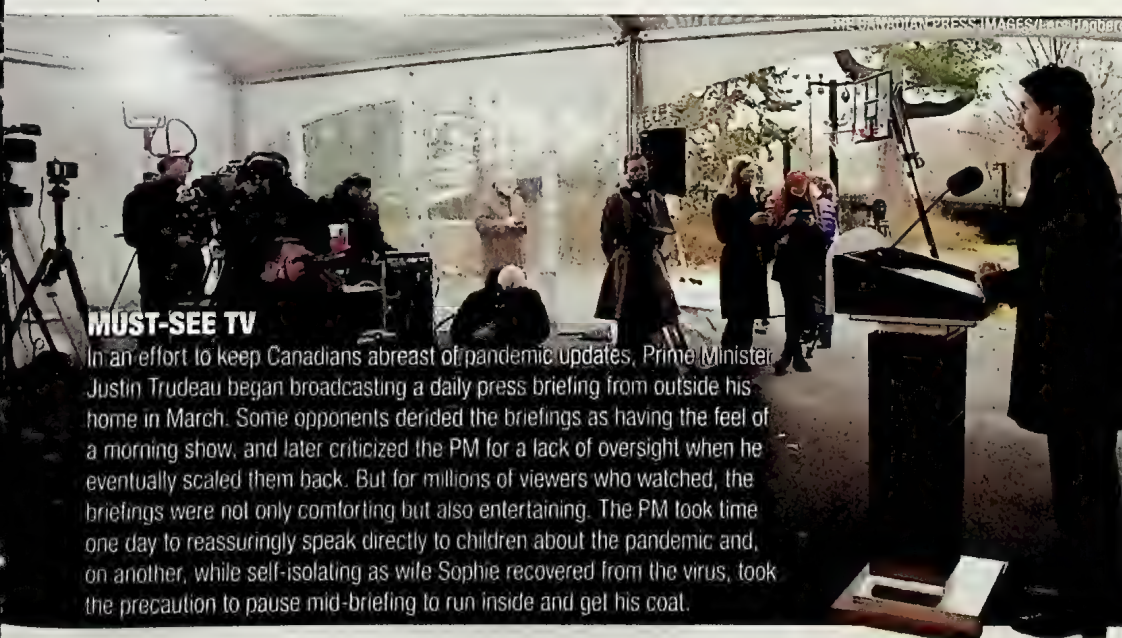
SIDE HUSTLE

Where many people saw reason to panic as they scrambled to stock up on all manner of items during the early days of the pandemic, one Vancouver couple saw opportunity. Real estate developers Manny Ranga and Violeta Perez resold around \$100,000 worth of items such as household cleaners and hand wipes—at a healthy markup. The couple, who purchased the items from Costco, said they were doing what they needed to do to pay their bills while the pandemic prevented them from working, though they halted the business after their venture received significant media attention. Shutterstock



CANCELLED BY COVID

Many long-standing annual events and celebrations found themselves at the mercy of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020. The Calgary Stampede, with roots dating back to 1886, was cancelled for the first time since its modern inception in 1923. In Toronto, the Santa Claus Parade was cancelled for the first time in its 116-year history—though a special, audience-free version was staged on the grounds of Canada's Wonderland and broadcast to a national audience. The Pacific National Exhibition was cancelled as was the Canadian National Exhibition, for the only time outside of the Second World War. And Ontario's annual Stratford Festival, known for its Shakespeare productions, was forced to cancel its entire summer season.



MUST-SEE TV

In an effort to keep Canadians abreast of pandemic updates, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau began broadcasting a daily press briefing from outside his home in March. Some opponents derided the briefings as having the feel of a morning show, and later criticized the PM for a lack of oversight when he eventually scaled them back. But for millions of viewers who watched, the briefings were not only comforting but also entertaining. The PM took time one day to reassuringly speak directly to children about the pandemic and, on another, while self-isolating as wife Sophie recovered from the virus, took the precaution to pause mid-briefing to run inside and get his coat.



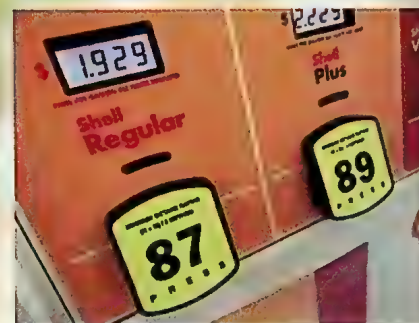
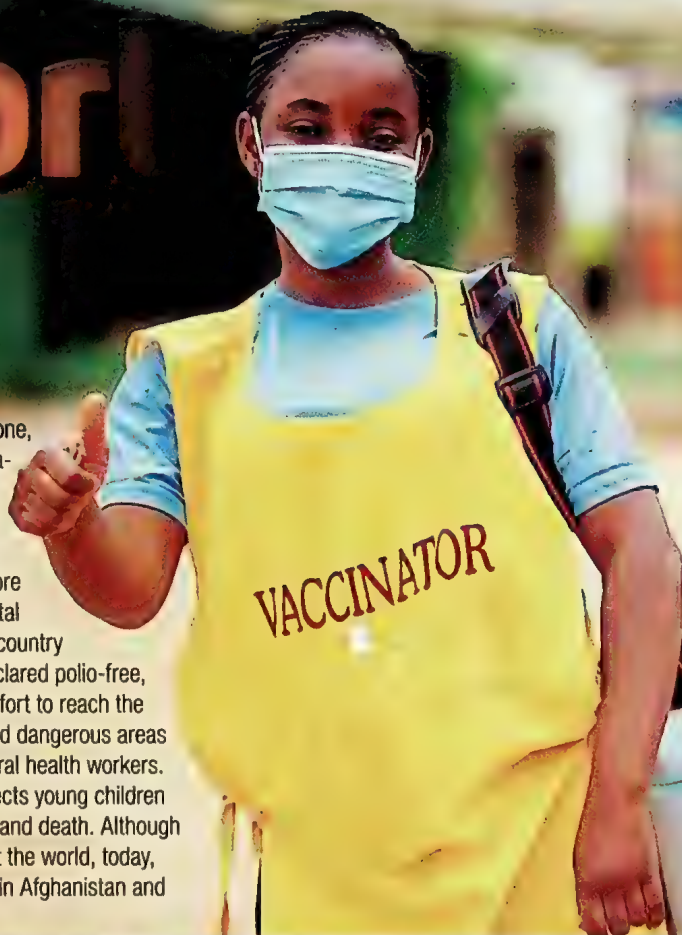
BYE BYE G.G.

Julie Payette's tenure as governor general began to unravel as far back as 2017, when she was criticized for comments made in relation to creationism and climate change. The former astronaut was further questioned about the lack of time she was devoting to the job, her refusal to move into Rideau Hall, and some questionable spending habits. But it was a July 2020 report about a toxic work environment, including verbal abuse directed at her staff and unwanted physical contact, that led to a Privy Council review of Payette's conduct. In January, after the release of a negative workplace report, Payette became the first governor general to resign from the position in scandal.

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A DISEASE THAT COULD BE BEAT

In a major medical milestone, the World Health Organization in August declared Africa free of wild polio. Nigeria, which until recently accounted for more than half of the world's total polio cases, was the last country on the continent to be declared polio-free, thanks to a vaccination effort to reach the country's most remote and dangerous areas that cost the lives of several health workers. Polio most commonly affects young children and can lead to paralysis and death. Although once common throughout the world, today, the disease is found only in Afghanistan and Pakistan. Shutterstock



THE END OF OIL?

The global pandemic greatly decreased demand for oil, as businesses closed and travel of all kinds was reduced. Producers faced a glut of supply and nowhere to store it, causing the price of oil in the U.S. to fall into negative numbers for the first time—on April 20, the contract futures price for West Texas Intermediate dropped from \$18 a barrel to -\$37. Prices rose again by summer, but questions remain as to when the commodity will fully recover. Andy Lyons/Getty Images/TNS



ELECTION PROTESTS

Thousands of Belarus citizens protested in the capital city of Minsk surrounding an August election that saw President Alexander Lukashenko inaugurated for a sixth term. Both Lukashenko's opponent, Sviatlana Tsikhanouskaya, and the European Union questioned the legitimacy of the win. The EU and Belarus proceeded to introduce sanctions against each other and protests continued, despite violent persecution. As of December 2020, there were more than 1,000 documented testimonies of torture victims. Tsikhanouskaya, who fled to Lithuania following the vote, was nominated for a Nobel Peace Prize in January 2021 for her work in fighting for free elections. TUT.BY/AFP via Getty Images

CHEERIO

On January 8, 2020, Prince Harry and Meghan Markle, the Duke and Duchess of Sussex, announced plans to give up their titles and step back from their working roles in Britain's royal family. The couple closed their Buckingham Palace office in February 2020 and wrapped up their royal duties at the end of March. They initially moved to Canada before settling in California, where they are working on launching a non-profit and where they will welcome their second child, announced in February 2021—the same month they let it be known their split from the royal family would be a permanent one. In November, "Megxit," the media's name for the couple's initial announcement, was added to the online edition of the *Collins Dictionary* as one of 2020's Top 10 words. Chris Jackson/Getty Images



RECORD TENURE

Shinzo Abe, the longest-serving prime minister in Japan's history, stepped down in September, citing issues with his health. Abe, whose economic policies became known as Abenomics, initially served one term as PM from 2006 to 2007, followed by additional terms beginning in 2012. He was succeeded by Yoshihide Suga, Abe's former chief cabinet secretary.

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12 MORE YEARS

In January 2020, President Vladimir Putin proposed several new amendments to Russia's constitution. Although the proposal included the rewriting of many articles and the addition of several new ones, Putin's main impetus seemed to be making changes that would allow him to retain power until 2036—12 years longer than the constitution previously allowed. The amendments were put to a national vote in June, with the vast majority of ballots cast in favor of the changes.

Mikhail Klimentyev/Russian Presidential Press and Information Office/TASS/Abaca Press/TNS



FREE RIDE

In March, Luxembourg became the first country in the world to make its public transportation system—which includes trains, trams and buses—free to ride. Officials said they hoped the move would help tackle traffic congestion, lessen environmental damage and support those with lower incomes. Riders can still opt to pay €660 a year to ride first-class. (Previously, an annual pass on the system cost around €440.) More than 100,000 people live in Luxembourg City, though many more commute to work each day. EPA/JULIEN WARNAND



THE LONG GOODBYE

When the United Kingdom officially left the European Union on January 31, 2020, it began a long transition period, during which details of the U.K.'s future trade and travel relationships with the EU were negotiated. The new EU-U.K. Trade and Cooperation Agreement was settled on December 24 and ratified by the U.K. Parliament on December 30—one day before the transition's scheduled end. The long-term impact of Brexit for both sides remains to be seen, but many economists agree the move will have a negative effect on the U.K.'s economy. Leon Neal/Pool via AP

DRY CONDITIONS

Devastating bushfires are not uncommon across Australia, but the bushfire season that began in 2019 was so bad it earned the name Black Summer. The fires peaked in January 2020 and by March had burned an estimated 46 million acres, destroyed thousands of buildings and homes and killed at least 34 people. Wildlife, including many endangered species, were also affected. Experts estimate more than AU\$100 billion in economic losses; the costliest natural disaster in Australia's history. About 80% of Australians were affected by the fires, and according to NASA, by January 2020 the fires had released more than 300 million tons of CO₂. Carolyn Cole



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WHO IS MISSED?

Popular TV game show *Jeopardy!* began filming its 37th season in late summer with a number of COVID precautions in place, including physically distanced podiums and no public audience. Producers were especially concerned about the safety of long-time host Alex Trebek, who was diagnosed with Stage IV pancreatic cancer in 2019. Trebek ended up filming his final episode on October 29, dying from his illness just over a week later, at the age of 80. The Canadian entertainer hosted a variety of game shows before taking the helm of a relaunched *Jeopardy!* in 1984. So iconic was Trebek's tenure that producers initially declined to name a successor, relying on a series of guest hosts. Chris Pizzella/Invision/AP, File



CELEBRITY PASSINGS

Carl Reiner, who died in June at age 98, once said that *The Dick Van Dyke Show*, which he created, was his most thrilling accomplishment. But Reiner's career hardly ended there, writing and directing *The Jerk*; performing, with Mel Brooks, the comedy classic *The 2000 Year Old Man*, and acting in films such as the *Ocean's Eleven* franchise. Other TV entertainers who died this year include Alex Trebek (*Jeopardy!*), Cloris Leachman (*Phyllis*), Naya Rivera (*Glee*), Tanya Roberts (*That '70s Show*), Dustin Diamond (*Saved by the Bell*), and entertainer and morning show host Regis Philbin (below).



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PANDEMIC BINGING

The COVID-19 pandemic brought TV production to a standstill for much of 2020. Thankfully, there were plenty of new shows in the can for viewers to binge while stuck at home. Among the hits of the pandemic season were *Tiger King*, a true crime documentary series based on the life of wild animal collector Joe Exotic; *The Mandalorian*, the *Star Wars* spinoff that introduced the world to Baby Yoda; *I May Destroy You*, a British semi-comedy about a young social media star; *Cobra Kai*, the continuation of the 1980s *Karate Kid* movies; and *The Queen's Gambit*, a coming-of-age period piece perfectly timed to create a real-life chess renaissance.



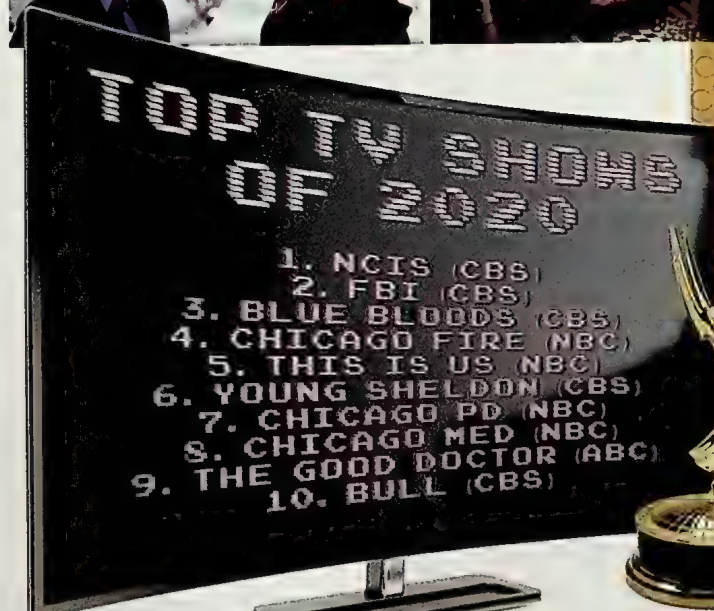
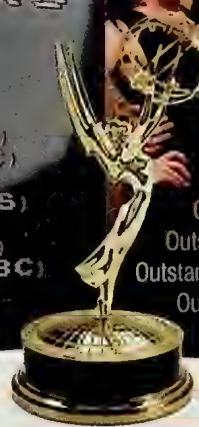
TOP TV SHOWS OF 2020

1. NCIS (CBS)
2. FBI (CBS)
3. BLUE BLOODS (CBS)
4. CHICAGO FIRE (NBC)
5. THIS IS US (NBC)
6. YOUNG SHELDON (CBS)
7. CHICAGO PD (NBC)
8. CHICAGO MED (NBC)
9. THE GOOD DOCTOR (ABC)
10. BULL (CBS)

2020 EMMY AWARD WINNERS

Outstanding Comedy Series: *Schitt's Creek*
Outstanding Drama Series: *Succession*

Outstanding Variety Talk Series: *Last Week Tonight with John Oliver*
Outstanding Lead Actor in a Comedy Series: Eugene Levy (*Schitt's Creek*)
Outstanding Lead Actress in a Comedy Series: Catherine O'Hara (*Schitt's Creek*)
Outstanding Lead Actor in a Drama Series: Jeremy Strong (*Succession*)
Outstanding Lead Actress in a Drama Series: Zendaya (*Euphoria*)

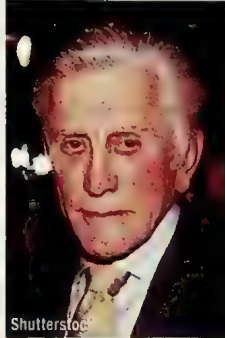


LEGENDS WHO LEFT US

Fans of Chadwick Boseman were shocked to learn of his death in August. The actor, best known for his role in Marvel's *Black Panther*, had kept his diagnosis of colon cancer extremely quiet as he continued to work through treatment. Other Hollywood figures who passed this year include Kirk Douglas (*Spartacus*), Diana Rigg (*The Avengers*, *Game of Thrones*), Olivia de Havilland (*Gone with the Wind*), Max von Sydow (*The Exorcist*) and original James Bond Sean Connery.



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JUSTICE IS SERVED

Harvey Weinstein was convicted in February 2020 on counts of both sexual assault and rape, and later sentenced to 23 years in prison. The 68-year-old Hollywood producer had been accused of sex crimes by more than a dozen women since 2017, which resulted in a public denouncing and the end of both his career and his marriage. Publicity surrounding Weinstein's actions was responsible for the spread of the #MeToo movement, which led to a number of high-profile firings and resignations in a number of industries. Hollywood in particular. Weinstein continues to deny all charges against him.

movies

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2020 TOP GROSSING MOVIES (USD, WORLDWIDE)

1. <i>The Eight Hundred</i>	\$461 million
2. <i>Bad Boys for Life</i>	\$427 million
3. <i>My People, My Homeland</i>	\$422 million
4. <i>Tenet</i>	\$363 million
5. <i>Demon Slayer the Movie: Mugen Train</i>	\$357 million
6. <i>Sonic the Hedgehog</i>	\$320 million
7. <i>Dolittle</i>	\$245 million
8. <i>Legend of Deification</i>	\$241 million
9. <i>A Little Red Flower</i>	\$216 million
10. <i>Birds of Prey</i>	\$201 million



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CURTAIN GOING DOWN

In October, Disney became one of the most high-profile studios to restructure its business toward streaming—much to the chagrin of movie theatre chains. Months earlier, AMC was forced to close its entire theatre chain and furlough all 600 of its corporate employees. Things only got worse in April, when NBCUniversal said it would begin releasing movies to streaming services and theatres simultaneously. AMC quickly threatened to no longer carry Universal releases, and the entertainment giants eventually came to a mutually satisfactory agreement. AMC eventually reopened more than 100 of its theatres, though recovery was anything but assured. *Tenet*, Christopher Nolan's much anticipated sci-fi thriller, was the first major release to test the pandemic waters. Despite being one of 2020's top earners, *Tenet* failed to break even, as movie-goers stayed away.

Best Motion Picture (Drama): *Nomadland*

Best Motion Picture (Musical/Comedy):

Borat Subsequent Moviefilm

Best Performance by an Actress in a Motion Picture

(Drama): Andra Day (*The United States vs. Billie Holiday*)

Best Performance by an Actor in a Motion Picture

(Drama): Chadwick Boseman (*Ma Rainey's Black Bottom*)

Best Television Series (Drama): *The Crown*

Best Television Series (Musical or Comedy): *Schitt's Creek*

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CONCERTS IN YOUR LIVING ROOM

In April, singer-songwriter Phoebe Bridgers played a concert for 10,000 fans—the biggest show of her career—as she became one of the musicians to test the waters in a brave new world of concert live streaming. As the pandemic made live music venues inaccessible to audiences, acts of all types turned to live streaming, both to please fans and to continue making a living. Some artists, like Bridgers, performed short, free shows from home. Others, like Jason Isbell, staged bigger productions for bigger ticket prices, playing a full set on New Year's Eve from Nashville's Brooklyn Bowl. *Shutterstock*

2020 GRAMMY AWARD WINNERS

RECORD OF THE YEAR:

Everything I Wanted
(Billie Eilish)

ALBUM OF THE YEAR:

Folklore
(Taylor Swift)

SONG OF THE YEAR:

I Can't Breathe
(H.E.R.)

BEST NEW ARTIST:

Megan Thee Stallion

BEST POP SOLO PERFORMANCE:

Watermelon Sugar
(Harry Styles)

ENCORE

Eddie Van Halen, who died in October at age 65, was not only the co-founder of popular rock group Van Halen but was considered one of the greatest guitar players in the history of rock 'n' roll. Other musical legends who died this year include Little Richard, known as the architect of rock 'n' roll; Kenny Rogers, who as a country solo artist became one of the best-selling singers of all time, with more than 100 hit singles; Ellis Marsalis, jazz pianist and patriarch of the Marsalis family; John Prine, the country-folk singer-songwriter, original Supremes member Mary Wilson; and Charley Pride, RCA Records' most successful performer since Elvis Presley.



BILLBOARD TOP 10

1. *Folklore* – Taylor Swift
2. *Fine Line* – Harry Styles
3. *Map of the Soul: 7* – BTS
4. *After Hours* – The Weeknd
5. *When We All Fall Asleep, Where Do We Go?* – Billie Eilish
6. *Frozen II* – Soundtrack
7. *What You See Is What You Get* – Luke Combs
8. *Chromatica* – Lady Gaga
9. *Lover* – Taylor Swift
10. *Legends Never Die* – Juice WRLD



SURPRISE!

While some people were expressing their creativity during lockdown by baking bread, others were recording critically and commercially successful music. Drake's *Dark Lane Demo Tapes*, a compilation of online-only and previously leaked songs, surfaced in May. Bruce Springsteen released *Letter to You* in October. In December, Paul McCartney's *McCartney III* became the latest in what's now a trilogy of albums dating back to 1970. And, as usual, Taylor Swift topped everyone with not one but two COVID albums, *July's Folklore* and December's *Evermore*.



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HELLO, DOLLY!

In November, it was reported that country singer Dolly Parton had donated \$1 million to coronavirus research at Vanderbilt University in the early days of the pandemic. Parton's donation helped fund the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine, which was found to be 94.1% effective at preventing the disease. Parton has a long history of quiet generosity. In 2017, she donated \$1 million to a children's hospital and has worked to promote literacy and animal rights.



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R U SERIOUS?

Canadian pop star Grimes and billionaire Tesla and SpaceX CEO Elon Musk have never had a traditional relationship. The pair began dating in 2018 after meeting on Twitter—where much of their relationship continues to publicly play out. In January 2020, Grimes posted a photo of herself on Instagram that suggested she was pregnant. It wasn't until March that Grimes confirmed Musk as the father of the baby, who was eventually born on May 4. When asked on Twitter what the couple planned to name their child, Musk replied "X Æ A-12," later amended to "X Æ A-Xii." Grimes's explanation of the name did not make it any less confusing.

FOND FAREWELLS

Siegfried Fischbacher and long-time partner Roy Horn, known together as Siegfried & Roy, were master entertainers and magicians. During their decades-long career, the duo worked their way up from nightclubs and cruise ships to become a top act in Las Vegas. Siegfried and Roy's act came to a close in 2003, when Roy was mauled by one of the tigers in the act. He died in May 2020, followed by Siegfried in January. Other entertainment figures who died this year include artist Christo (*The Gates*); actor, screenwriter and director Buck Henry (*The Graduate*); business executive and long-time CEO of General Electric Jack Welch; actor and spokesperson Wilford Brimley (*Cocoon*); conservative radio host Rush Limbaugh; and broadcaster Larry King.



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TOP TRENDING YOUTUBE VIDS OF 2020



1. 8:46 – Dave Chappelle – Netflix Is A Joke
2. Building the Perfect Squirrel Proof Bird Feeder – Mark Rober
3. First Debate Cold Open – Saturday Night Live
4. We Broke Up – JeffreeStar
5. I Bought the World's Largest Firework – MrBeast

HARD TO KEEP UP WITH

Rumors started flying in January 2021 that, after years of public ups and downs, media personality Kim Kardashian and rapper-producer Kanye West were filing for divorce. The couple, who met in the early 2000s and married in 2014, reportedly spent much of 2020, including the holidays, living apart. The divorce is expected to be worked into the final season of *Keeping Up with the Kardashians*. Kardashian's future plans reportedly include taking the bar exam and entering the field of law.



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COMMERCIAL APPEAL

As health officials struggled to get a handle on the ins and outs of how the COVID-19 virus spread, there initially was some confusion over the usefulness of masks. But face coverings quickly became not only the most important way to stop the spread of the disease, but also the *de rigueur* fashion accessory. While some people opted to wear plain medical masks and others enjoyed sewing homemade versions, an entire cloth face covering industry sprang up practically overnight, with masks featuring designs of every pop culture character imaginable.

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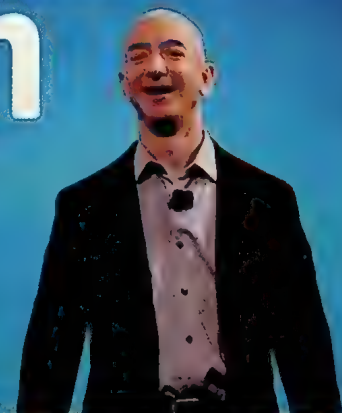


A CHANGE OF FACE

As the killing of George Floyd sparked protests around the world, major commercial brands scrambled to make changes they had been called on to make for years: Quaker Foods announced it would retire the name and character of Aunt Jemima, whose origins are rooted in Black servitude, rechristening the product line as the Pearl Milling Company; B&G Foods said it was removing its Cream of Wheat mascot, a Black chef thought to be modeled after real-life cook Frank L. White; Dreyer's changed the name of its Eskimo Pie ice cream bar to Edy's Pie; Land O'Lakes removed Mia, the Native American woman who had adorned its butter packaging since 1928; and Conagra Brands, whose Mrs. Butterworth's syrup bottles had long taken the form of a matronly woman never specifically identified as African American, said it would be rebranding the product. Shutterstock

THAT'S RICH

In August, Jeff Bezos became the first person in the world to be worth more than \$200 billion, thanks largely to his 11% stake in Amazon, the company he founded—and stepped down from in February 2021. Bezos's wealth dipped below \$200 billion in the fall, but rebounded in the leadup to Amazon's annual Prime Day, breaking the milestone once again. His wealth was later eclipsed by Tesla CEO Elon Musk, and the two have jockeyed for the top position since. Landing a distant third is Microsoft founder Bill Gates, with a mere \$132 billion.



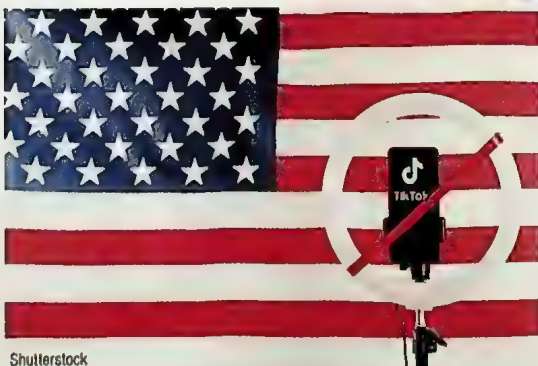
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TIKTOK STRIKES BACK

In August, the Trump administration announced plans to ban the popular Chinese-owned video app TikTok unless it was sold to a U.S. company, claiming the Chinese government was using it to spread misinformation and unscrupulously collect user data. TikTok, which operates from the U.S., requested an injunction against the ban, which eventually was upheld. In January 2021, TikTok banned videos of Donald Trump inciting rioters, falling in line with nearly every other major social media platform following the former president's role in inciting the insurrection on Capitol Hill.

WORD OF THE YEAR

It should come as no surprise that "pandemic" was Merriam-Webster's word of the year for 2020. Defined as the outbreak of a disease occurring over a wide geographic area and affecting a large portion of the population, editors of the dictionary said the word was chosen due to the increase in traffic of people looking up its meaning—in fact, it remained one of the most looked-up words for 10 months.



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THAT'S NOT MY NAME

Day-to-day pandemic stress combined with the civil unrest that followed the killing of George Floyd created a perfect storm to make 2020 the Year of Karen. No one is entirely sure how "Karen" became a pejorative for "privileged white woman who wants to see your manager," but the term's usage peaked as videos of public tantrums, racism and misbehavior by those who fit the description went viral on a regular basis. The biggest instance surfaced in May, when Amy Cooper, a white woman walking her dog in Central Park, called the police on a Black male birdwatcher she falsely accused of threatening her. Real-life Karens took note—and took offence, arguing that the term was sexist.

Christian Cooper via AP

BREAD'S POPULARITY RISES

Along with a run on grocery store staples like toilet paper and household cleaners, yeast became a much sought-after—and hard to find—item in the pandemic's early days. The simple act of making bread offered different things to different people, from boosting their spirits to saving them money. Sourdough bread, made without traditional yeast, became especially popular as stockpiles of regular yeast ran dry. Shutterstock

ZOOM ON THE RISE

"Zoom" replaced "Skype" as the shorthand word for video calls in 2020. The online chat service actually dates back to 2011, but it wasn't until the rise of the pandemic that it exploded in popularity. Its multi-screen functionality made it the perfect software both for collaborating with workmates and keeping in touch with family and friends. By February 2020, Zoom gained 2.2 million users—more than in all of 2019. For a time, security issues made the service easily hackable, but Zoom's owners quickly took steps to upgrade it. Shutterstock

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SECURE COMMUNICATION

Signal and Telegram, two encrypted messaging apps, saw a significant rise in downloads in January 2021. Both apps have traditionally been used by those mistrustful of the security and privacy provided by more mainstream messaging apps, such as Facebook Messenger and WhatsApp. (Black Lives Matter protestors wary of police monitoring have used Signal for some time.) The apps rose in popularity once again following the Capitol insurrection in January 2021, this time with far-right groups looking to maintain the privacy of their communications. Shutterstock



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Most Searched 2020 (U.S.)

1. Coronavirus
2. Election results
3. Kobe Bryant
4. Zoom
5. IPL
6. India vs New Zealand
7. Coronavirus update
8. Coronavirus symptoms
9. Joe Biden
10. Google Classroom

(Source: Google Trends)

MOST DOWNLOADED APPS (IOS & GOOGLE PLAY)



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RECORD SMASHER

Tom Brady cemented his title as the greatest quarterback in NFL history in February 2021 when he led the Tampa Bay Buccaneers to victory over the Kansas City Chiefs in Super Bowl LV. It was the seventh Super Bowl win for the 43-year-old Brady, who was playing his debut season with Tampa. Brady's previous six victories came as a member of the New England Patriots. Along with Peyton Manning, Brady is the only starting quarterback to win the Super Bowl for more than one team.

Stephen M. Dowell/Olando Sentinel/TNS



MONEY TALKS

Owners of the Washington Redskins finally caved to public pressure in July and announced the NFL team would retire the name it had used since 1933. Critics of the name have been vocal for decades, but following the death of George Floyd in May—which saw many other major brands abandon names and mascots long deemed racist—retailers including Amazon and Nike withdrew Redskins merchandise from their stores and major sponsors threatened to pull their support, finally causing Redskins owners to give in to pressure. The team, originally known as the Braves, will be called the Washington Football Team while the organization searches for a new name.

HEROES LOST

Hank Aaron, who died on January 22, 2021, at the age of 86, was a baseball legend. Originally a player in the Negro leagues, Aaron went on to play 23 seasons of Major League Baseball, nearly all of them with the Braves. In 1974, he broke Babe Ruth's record of career home runs, and is considered one of the game's greatest players.

He was inducted to the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1982. Other sports figures who died this year include former heavyweight boxing champion Leon Spinks, who once defeated Muhammad Ali; former Dodgers manager Tommy Lasorda; Toronto Maple Leaf George Armstrong; and former NFL wide receiver Vincent Jackson (right).



Will Vragovic/Tampa Bay Times/MCT

ICC Women's T20 World Cup

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

For the equivalent men's tournament, see ICC Men's T20 World Cup.

The **ICC Women's T20 World Cup** (known as the **ICC Women's World Twenty20** until 2019) is the biennial international championship for women's Twenty20 International cricket.^{[3][4]} The event is organised by the sport's governing body, the International Cricket Council (ICC), with the first edition having been held in England in 2009. For the first three tournaments, there were eight participants, but this number has been raised to ten from the 2014 edition onwards. At each tournament, a set number of teams qualify automatically, with the remaining teams determined by the World Twenty20 Qualifier. Australia, having won the tournament five times, are the most successful team.

THAT'S CRICKET!

The International Cricket Council had reason to celebrate last winter when its Women's T20 World Cup, held in Australia, became one of the most watched women's sporting events in cricket history. The event had 1.1 billion views across ICC's digital channels—20 times higher than the previous edition, held in 2018. Australia won the tournament, beating India.

Wikipedia

GAMES DELAY

In March 2020, as the COVID-19 pandemic spread around the globe, organizers said they intended to go ahead with its plans to host that summer's Olympic Games. But by March 23, several countries, including Canada and the U.K., said they would not take part unless the Games were postponed. The following day, it was announced the summer Olympics would be delayed to 2021. This is the first time in their history the Olympics have been postponed, though they have been cancelled outright three times in the past, during both world wars. The Summer Games are set to open on July 23, 2021, though will still be branded Tokyo 2020.



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LIVING IN A BUBBLE

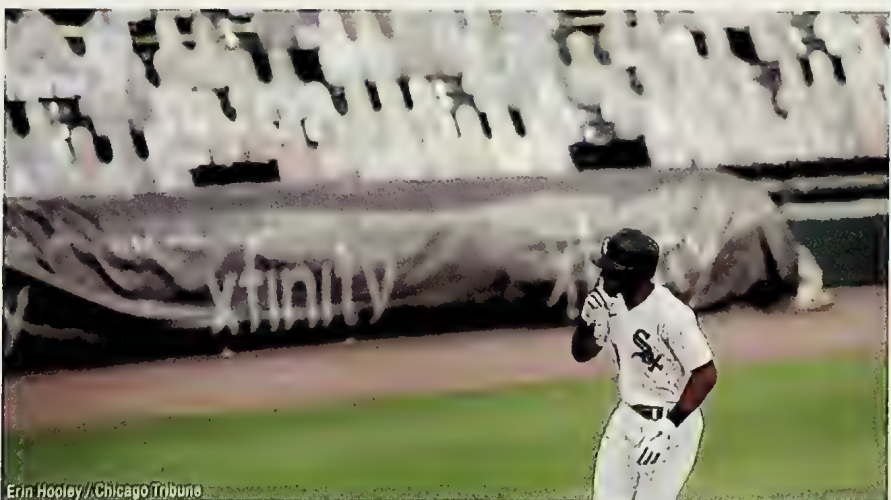
When Major League Baseball returned to play in July, it opted not to sequester its players, resulting in a number of COVID outbreaks. Other leagues, including the NHL, NBA and MLS, took a different approach, instituting "bubbles"—isolated areas where competing teams remain sequestered, with all accommodations and amenities, and without spectators in attendance at games. Edmonton and Toronto acted as hubs for the NHL postseason, with each club living on a single floor of a designated hotel, and the experiment was considered a major success.



AP Photo/Jeff Roberson

SHE SHOOTS, SHE SCORES

The NHL gave women players a spotlight during its annual All-Star Weekend in January 2020. The Canadian All-Stars beat the American All-Stars in a three-on-three game, a new event added in 2020. Although there was no prize money for the winners, the players, members of the Women's Hockey Players Association, received appearance fees and the league made a \$100,000 donation to girls' hockey organizations. This was the third consecutive year women took part in the NHL weekend event.



Erin Hooley/Chicago Tribune

AT LEAST THE CROWD IS WELL-BEHAVED

Major League Baseball may not have had a bubble system, but its lone Canadian team took its own precautions to prevent the spread of COVID-19 during its shortened season. Members of the Toronto Blue Jays who broke the team's quarantine rules could face a \$750,000 fine and possible jail time. But perhaps the oddest change to regular play was the audience. Like many other teams, the Jays piped crowd noise into the stadium and offered fans the chance to place a cardboard cut-out of themselves in the seats. A portion of the \$60 price tag for each cut-out went to the Jays Care Foundation to support families affected by COVID-19.

2020 CHAMPIONSHIP WINS

World Series:

Los Angeles Dodgers (over the Tampa Bay Rays)

Super Bowl:

Kansas City Chiefs (over the San Francisco 49ers)

NBA Final:

Los Angeles Lakers (over the Miami Heat)

Stanley Cup:

Tampa Bay Lightning (over the Dallas Stars)

RECORD BREAKER

Wayne Gretzky continues to break records, more than two decades after his retirement. A mint condition 1979 O-Pee-Chee Gretzky rookie card sold at auction in December for US\$1.3 million, making it both the first hockey card to crack the \$1 million mark and the sixth-most expensive sports trading card ever sold. A new record was hit in January 2021, when a Mickey Mantle rookie card sold for \$5.2 million.



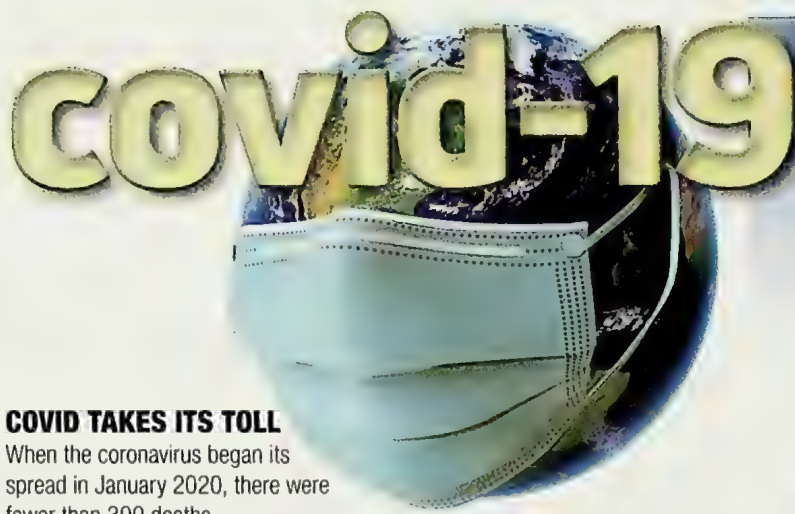
Courtesy Heritage Auction

GOOOOOOOOAL!

Canadian soccer star Christine Sinclair scored her 185th goal in January 2020, breaking the international record for goals scored by either a man or a woman. The striker was on target twice during a game between Canada and St. Kitts & Nevis. The previous record had been held since 2013 by American Abby Wambach. The 37-year-old Sinclair has played 21 seasons, appearing more than 290 times for Canada and playing in five World Cups.



AP Photo/Mark Luzzati



COVID TAKES ITS TOLL

When the coronavirus began its spread in January 2020, there were fewer than 300 deaths worldwide. By the time North America began to shut down in March, the number had already reached the five-digit mark, beginning a steady increase that a year later had yet to take a downturn. By the end of January 2021, more than two million people worldwide had died from complications surrounding the coronavirus and daily deaths were still peaking, with thousands per day. Shutterstock

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SPILLING ONTO THE SIDEWALK

While the pandemic advanced the e-commerce industry by a decade, traditional brick-and-mortar businesses, like retail and food services, suffered amidst the shutdowns. Many retailers instituted curbside pickup, allowing shoppers to call ahead or order online. Some restaurants instituted new take-out or delivery services. Those with patios fared better in the warmer months, while many cities allowed sidewalk dining, resulting in streets lined with secluded tents or booths. But for many, it still wasn't enough. In New York City alone, at least 1,000 restaurants permanently closed by year's end.

GROUNDLED

The world's biggest, busiest airports were quiet for much of 2020 as the coronavirus decimated the tourism industry. Stay-at-home orders, closed borders and travel bans in multiple countries tried to curtail all but the most necessary travel. By May, more than 200 countries had imposed travel restrictions and more than 100 million jobs were expected to be lost, with thousands of positions affected in the hotel industry alone. Online travel platforms were also hard-hit, and experts say the aviation industry could take years to recover.

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CONCRETE JUNGLE

With humans trapped inside, urban wildlife—usually careful to avoid people and only come out at night—began reasserting itself and taking advantage of quiet streets. Coyotes wandered the streets of San Francisco, foxes appeared along the boardwalk in Toronto, wild boars took to the streets in Spain—and neighborhoods everywhere became flooded with birdsong. On the downside, some animals who depend on tourists for food have been left to scavenge.



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FAR FROM EDUCATION?

By April, more than 1.2 billion children in 186 countries were out of the classroom, as the pandemic forced schools to close. Educators and students alike were quickly forced to adapt to e-learning, with classes moved to digital platforms. While many were hopeful that e-learning would lead to benefits such as increased retention and less instruction time, its effectiveness didn't always get a passing grade, as children struggled to pay attention and parents struggled to oversee them on top of their day jobs.

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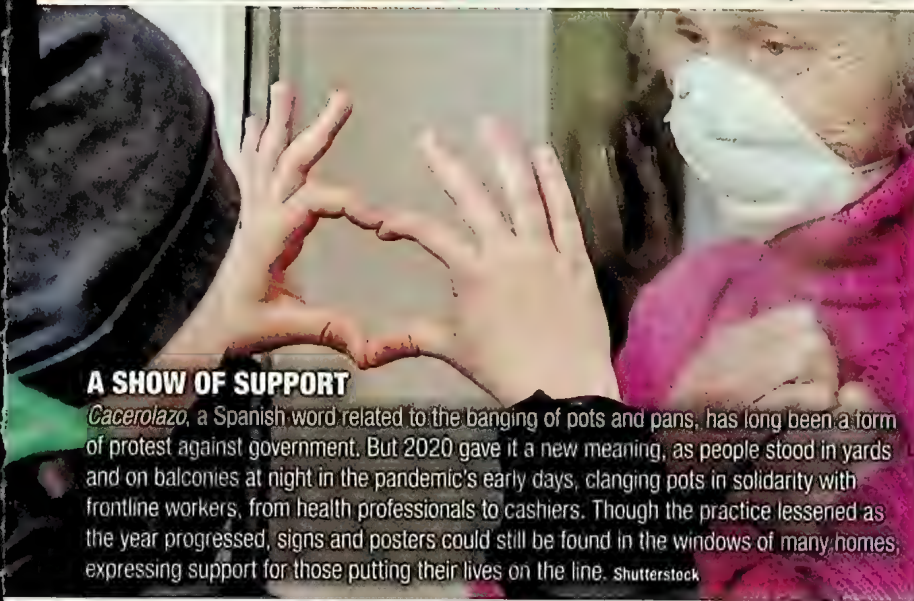
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A NOT-SO-GREAT DEPRESSION

The coronavirus recession quickly became the world's worst economic crisis since the Great Depression of the 1930s, leading to rapid, record rates of unemployment. With much of the world's population in lockdown, businesses of all sizes were forced to shutter, often permanently. Governments around the world poured money into economic stimulus, including a \$900-billion aid package passed by the U.S. Congress in December. By January, the Congressional Budget Office was projecting a turnaround, saying the U.S. GDP would return to pre-pandemic levels by mid-year.

A SHOW OF SUPPORT

Cacerolazo, a Spanish word related to the banging of pots and pans, has long been a form of protest against government. But 2020 gave it a new meaning, as people stood in yards and on balconies at night in the pandemic's early days, clanging pots in solidarity with frontline workers, from health professionals to cashiers. Though the practice lessened as the year progressed, signs and posters could still be found in the windows of many homes, expressing support for those putting their lives on the line. Shutterstock



TRUMP GETS COVID

Donald Trump once again proved he doesn't do things like other people, including catching a potentially life-threatening illness. On October 2, Trump announced that he and First Lady Melania had tested positive for COVID-19. He was quickly taken to the Walter Reed medical center, where he received several treatments, including some then-experimental drugs. Like all things surrounding the former president, much of the information offered regarding his condition was contradictory, including for exactly how long he had had symptoms and exactly how well he was recovering. Trump staged some publicity stunts during his stay, including a motorcade drive-by and a photo-op of him sitting at a table signing a piece of paper with a black marker. By October 5, he was back in the White House. Trump soon claimed he felt better than he had in decades, telling the nation "don't be afraid of COVID," even as infection rates continued to rise.

SOCIAL MISINFORMATION

"Fake news" was more than just a catchphrase in 2020, as the genuine spread of misinformation—much of it surrounding the presidential election and the coronavirus—on social media became rampant. Several platforms, including Facebook and YouTube, launched anti-fake-news strategies, with mixed results. In January 2021, Twitter launched Birdwatch, a Wikipedia-like system relying on users, or Birdwatchers, to flag false tweets. As much agreement as there is on the existence of the problem, solid solutions are still proving elusive.

**FAKE
NEWS**



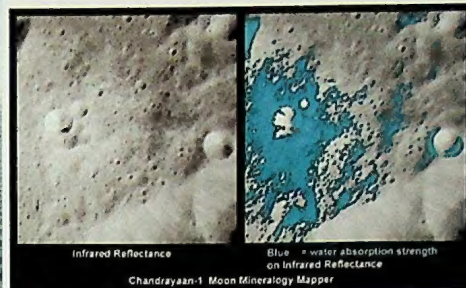
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A TURNING POINT AT LAST?

Carbon emissions may have decreased in 2020, as smog-producing methods of transportation ground to a halt, but that still wasn't enough drop to meet goals set by the Paris climate accord. As a result of global warming, unusually harsh weather conditions continued, with destructive heat waves, wildfires, flooding and hurricanes. But in the first weeks of his presidency, Joe Biden began making good on his campaign promises, signing a number of positive climate-change directives and calling the current direction of climate change an "existential threat" to civilization. Shutterstock

THE TRUTH IS WAY OUT THERE

The theory that our solar system was recently visited by alien intelligence regained prominence in January 2021 when Harvard astrophysicist Avi Loeb released a book theorizing the space object 'Oumuamua may have been of alien origin. Astronomers sighted 'Oumuamua, the first interstellar object ever seen passing through our solar system—albeit 21 million miles from Earth when first spotted—in 2017. Named for a Hawaiian word meaning "scout," the object was first estimated to be 400 meters long though there is little consensus in this area. Whether 'Oumuamua is made of ice or rock, and whether its surface is flat or round, remain to be seen. Unfortunately for Loeb, support for his theory that it is an alien craft is not widespread. ESO/M. Kornmesser



THE SEARCH FOR LIFE CONTINUES

On February 18, 2021, NASA successfully landed a new robotic rover on the surface of Mars. The rover, named Perseverance, was equipped with tools to undertake scientific research into the search for ancient life on the red planet. Its cameras, lasers and radars will allow Perseverance to find potential fossils of microbial life that some theorize may have lived on Mars when water flowed on the planet. NASA will also attempt to fly a small helicopter, dubbed Ingenuity, in the Martian atmosphere. Such a flight has never before been attempted and, if successful, could significantly broaden the space agency's search capabilities. Courtesy NASA

NASA REACHES OUT

NASA's OSIRIS-REx spacecraft reached out a robotic arm to the asteroid known as Bennu in October, collecting dust and pebbles for analysis. It was the first time NASA has touched an asteroid. Bennu is about 500 yards in diameter and was more than 200 million miles from Earth when the samples were taken. It is hoped that the samples, which won't make it back to Earth until 2023, can offer a window into the formation of the solar system as it was taking shape billions of years ago. Courtesy NASA

Zhang Yuwei/Xinhua via ZUMA Press

FULL SPEED AHEAD

Initial wisdom on the safety of a quickly produced COVID vaccine was mixed. Would the public have confidence in a fast result? Could its long-term side effects be predicted? How long would its effectiveness last? In the U.S., the federal

government initiated Operation Warp Speed, a \$10 billion public-private partnership to support companies in quickly developing effective vaccines. Two firms, Pfizer and Moderna, both announced vaccines with effective rates of around 95%—a number much higher than had been expected. Vaccinations began in December, though rollout has been slower than was hoped. In February, it was predicted that, at current vaccination rates, it would take 5 years for the world to reach 75% inoculation.

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